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MacDOWEL—In proud and loving memory of Lieutenant B. G. MacDowel (Ben), 1st Battalion Connaught Rangers, who was mortally wounded on the night of September 22nd, 1915, at Richebourg, St. Vaast.

THORP—In ever-loving and ever-thankful remembrance of Harold Thorp, B.A., Oxon., M.M., R.A.M.C., only son of the late J. W. Thorp, and of Mrs. Thorp, Rockfort House, Kingstown, who was wounded, at Ypres, the 20th of September, 1917, and died two days later at the Casualty Clearing Station.

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BIRTHS.

DWYER—September 18, 1920, at 40 Upper Fitzwilliam st., Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Dwyer, Pintown, Roscrea, a daughter.

GOVERNEY—September 11, 1920, at Barrowville, Carlow, the wife of Michael Governey, of a son.

SEDGWICK—August 7, 1920, at Toronto, Canada, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sedgwick (née Black), a daughter (Dorothy May).

STUDD—September 21, 1920, at Cahermoyle, South Farnborough, the wife of Major M. A. Studd, D.S.O., M.C., R.F.A., of a son.

TAYLOR—September 16, 1920, at Denmark House, Lower Leeson st., to Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, of Wesley rd., Rathgar, a son.

MARRIAGES.

COLTON and GREGORY—September 14, 1920, at St. Catherine's Church, Camolin, by the Rev. W. R. Evans, M.A., John Warren Tarleton Colton, Ballinasragh, Killeigh, King's Co., to Alice Eleanor, second daughter of the late John Gregory, and of Mrs. Gregory, Killegan, Co. Wicklow.

COMYNS and WOODROFFE—September 15, 1920, at HolmPatrick Church, Skerries, by the Rev. J. A. Donald, William Henry, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Comyns, Vesey Hill, Abbeyleix, to Mary (May), eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodroffe, Milverton, Skerries.

FitzGERALD and FitzGERALD—September 20, 1920, at the Catholic University Church, St. Stephen's Green, by the Rev. J. Sherwin, C.C., James Fitzgerald, son of the late Edward FitzGerald, Khyber Pass, Dalkey, and Mrs. FitzGerald, to Kathleen, widow of [illegible] Thomas W. FitzGerald, and daughter of the late Patrick Markey, of Navan, and Mrs. Markey, 8 Terenure Park.

IRWIN and EVANS—September 15, 1920, at Greystones Parish Church, by the Rev. Joseph Jackson, Rector of Claremorris, assisted by the Rev. E. S. Daniel, Rector of the Parish, William Edwin, only son of the late William Irwin, Killygavna, Tydavnet, Co. Monaghan, to May, youngest daughter of John Evans, Somerset, Greystones.

LANDER and RICE—September 15, 1920, at St. Mary's, Haddington rd., by the Rev. John Hook, C.C., Harry Dixon, son of the late David Lander, of Farina, South Australia, and Mrs. E. H. O'Driscoll, Stratford, Grosvenor rd., Rathmines, to Marguerita (Rita), third daughter of John and Mrs. Rice, 17 Percy place, Dublin. No cards. Sydney papers please copy.

DEATHS.

CLERY—At Rochestown House, Annie, daughter of the late R. E. Clery, of Cork. Funeral strictly private.

DOWNEY—September 9, 1920, after some years' illness, Thomas (Tommie), and Margaret (Maggie), died the 20th, of blood poison, children of Bernard Downey, Trim, Co. Meath. English papers please copy. Inserted by his mother, M. C.

FLYNN—September 21, 1920, at Seskin, Rathgar av., Dublin, Jane, widow of [illegible] Edward Flynn, in her 87th year. Deeply regretted. Funeral private.

GORMAN—September 16, 1920, at Withington Hospital, Manchester, Patrick Gorman.

GRIMES—September 21, 1920, at 6 Belview tce., Dollymount, Dublin, William Grimes. Interment at Liverpool. Funeral arrangements later.

JOHNSTON—September 19, 1920, at 43 Rathmines rd., Maude Churchill Johnston, faithful servant of Mrs. Allen. "Peace, perfect peace." Buried at Mount Jerome.

LANGRIDGE—September 20, 1920, at his sister-in-law's residence, Dargle House, Bray, County Wicklow, Frank Langridge. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. "Safe in the arms of Jesus." Funeral from above address to-morrow (Thursday), 9.15 a.m. Service in St. Paul's Church 9.30, thence to Delgany.

MAGRATH—September 21, 1920, at his residence, 29 Ulverton rd., Dalkey, Charles F. Magrath, dearly-beloved brother of Marcus A. Magrath.

O'DOWDA—September 17, 1920, at Eastbourne, Mary, eldest daughter of the late James O'Dowda, of this city. Dearly loved and deeply regretted.

PARKER—September 10, 1920, at her residence, Sydenham House, Kelso, Roxburgh, aged 88, Catherine Georgiana, widow of John Bartholomew Parker, Esq., formerly of the Manor House, Little Casthorpe, Lincolnshire, and eldest daughter of His Honour Captain Frederick Henry Alexander Forth, 1st Royal Scots Fusiliers, Lieutenant Governor, and niece of Baron Forth de Rouen des Mallets, of Chateau de Taverny, Seine et Oise, and Cité [illegible], Paris, Grand Officer of the Legion of Honour, etc., etc., etc., and Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from Louis Philippe to the Courts of Lisbon, Athens, and Dresden.

PARKER (née Forth)—September 10, 1920, at Sydenham House, Roxburgh, Catherine Georgiana, aged 88, widow of John B. Parker, Esq., sister of Colonel Forth, and aunt of Lt.-Colonel Willoughby Forth and Lt.-Colonel Nowell de Lancey Forth, D.S.O., M.C.

SUTHERLAND—September 21, 1920, at 3 Fairview, Athlone, John Sutherland, late of Clara, King's Co. Funeral, at 2 p.m., St. Mary's, Clara.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Dr. N. R. Ussher, Wyre Bank, Garstang, Lancs., wishes to express his sincere thanks to all his friends for their kind letters of sympathy to him in his recent great bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

CASEY—First Anniversary—In ever-loving memory of James Casey, of 11 George's av., Drumcondra, who died 22nd September, 1919, late Engineer's Office, Inchicore. On whose soul Sweet Jesus have mercy. Inserted by his loving wife and children.

CASEY—First Anniversary—In loving and cherished memory of the dearest of fathers, James Casey, 11 George's av., Drumcondra, who died on 22nd September, 1919, aged 54 years, late Engineer's Office, G.S. and W. Railway, Inchicore. Masses offered this day at St. Francis Xavier's, Upper Gardiner st. Inserted by his loving daughter, Ina, and grandchildren.

DAGG—Twenty-second Anniversary—In affectionate remembrance of our beloved mother, Mrs. M. A. Dagg, who fell asleep in Jesus September 22nd, 1898. Her nature was love full of kind acts. "Peace, perfect peace."

DUNNE—Eighteenth Anniversary, 22nd September—In sad and loving memory of Gerald Fitzgerald Dunne, Ballinagappa, Co. Kildare, for whose soul Masses are offered to-day at Clane and Clongowes. R.I.P.

SIMPSON—In fond memory of George Simpson, who passed away at Riverstown, Co. Sligo, on 22nd September, 1919.

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WANTED, October 7th, good Cook General, Co. Meath; dairy, poultry; family two; state wages, send copies.—"Z 3169, Cook," this office. C

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1916 FORD Torpedo for Sale, good condition, any trial, £180; no offers.—"Z 3123, Motor," this office. C

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YOUNG Girl wishes situation, London, Cook General small family.—"Z 3205, Cook," this office.

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EXPERIENCED General disengaged; good cook; excellent reference.—M 638, Irish Times Office, Blackrock.

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HOUSEMAID wishes situation; would go House Parlourmaid in small house and family, near town; wages £30.—"Z 3200, Maid," this office.

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RESPECTABLE Girl wishes situation as House Parlourmaid; some experience; or would go Nurse Housemaid; R.C.; Co. Dublin preferred.—"Z 3202, House Parlourmaid," this office.

TWO Sisters seek situations as Housemaid and Cook General; good references.—577, Irish Times Office, Baggot street Bridge. O

YOUNG country Girl (R.C.) desires place as Under House or Parlourmaid, city or suburbs.—Elizabeth Hickey, Gragara, Jenkinstown, Kilkenny. D

YOUNG House Parlourmaid wishes nice situation; Dublin or Bray preferred.—"Z 3204, Parlourmaid," this office. D

YOUNG Girl wishes to be trained House or House Parlourmaid.—H. P., 38 Clarendon st., Dublin.

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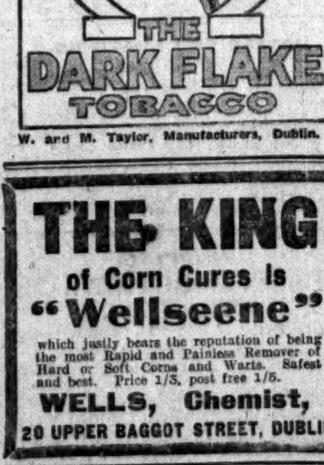

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SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.—Cavalry.—S. Ir. Horse.—Capt. R. Blackett (Capt., Res. of off.) resigns his commn.

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THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, Sept. 22nd, 1920.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE. — Long Vacation Sittings.—The Right Hon. Mr. Justice Pim (for the Vacation Judge) will sit to-day (Wednesday), at 11, in King's Bench Court No. 1, to hear such applications for all the Divisions as may require to be immediately or promptly heard.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.—Crown Side.—Exparte Motions. On Notice.—The King v. William Kelly. Civil Side.—Exparte Motions. Summonses.—Ogilby v. Cunningham; Carleton v. Quinn; Fannin and Co., Ltd., v. Barrett; Clarke and another v. Tumbleton; National Bank, Ltd., v. Lynch; M'Manon v. M'Mahon. Chancery Division.—Motion.—Moran v. Nolan. At Chambers.—M'Cormack v. Reardon; Colgan v. Hayes; Courts (E.P.) Act, Cormack v. Cormack; do 2nd Dublin (1,009th) Starr Bowkett Building Society v. De Groot.

LAND JUDGES.—Receiver Case.—The M'Gillycuddy estate.

BANKRUPTCY.—Tughan, 1st meeting comp., W. V. Seddall; Murphy, 1st meeting comp., M. J. O'Farrell.

PROBATE.—Motions on Notice.—Daly v. Daly; M'Donough v. Manning.

MATRIMONIAL.—Motions on Notice.—Kelleher v. Kelleher; Fitzsimons v. Fitzsimons; M'Innes v. M'Innes.

CIVIL SIDE (Continued).—Motions on Notice.—Saul v. Atkinson; Western Pigment Co., Ltd., v. Gibson and another; M'Kern and Sons, Ltd., v. Glynn; Irish Discount Co., Ltd., v. Arthurs; Kearney v. O'Hanlon; Comyns and Son, Ltd., v. Ryan; Cupples v. Love; Downey v. Fleming and Co.; Burke v. Conlon; the Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Glynn; White and Son, Ltd., v. Rooney; Mulvihill, jun., v. Lee; Isc Van As J. Ian, Ltd., v. M'Gann; Keaney v. Keaney.

IN LUNACY.—Lunacy Commission.—For Friday next, 24th September, 11. City Common Jury.—In the matter of a person alleged to be of unsound mind, Thos. Crozier and Son, Solicitors. Notice to Jurors.—The City Common Jurors summoned upon the Lunacy Commission will be required to attend on Friday next, 24th September, in the Admiralty Court, Four Courts, at 11 o'clock sharp.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—For to-morrow (Thursday), 23rd September. Master Denning, 11.—Exparte Taxations.—Leeson to Merrick, E. E. Merrick; Halley v. O'Brien, MacKenzie and Skehan; Adair and S.L. Acts, J. Bristow; Becher Engineering Co. v. Byrne, T. Montgomery; Creedon v. O'Callaghan, F. Fitzmaurice; Murphy and Barrymore and V. and P. Acts, Babington and Co.

ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES.

A meeting of the Board of Governors of the Royal Hospital for Incurables was held at the Hospital yesterday (Tuesday) morning, at 9.30 o'clock, William Perrin, Esq., Vice-Chairman, presiding. Also present:—Alfred G. Hollinshead, Esq., J.P., Hon. Treasurer; James S. Ashe, Esq., M.D.; Alfred T. Barber, Esq.; William Beckett, Esq.; Mrs. Teresa Begge, Francis C. Earle Bland, Esq.; Miss Bland, Jackson D. Bogue, Esq.; Miss M. Angela Boland, Sir Walter H. Boyd, Bart., K.C.; Lady Boyd, James F. B. Browne, Esq., J.P.; Edward C. Buckley, Esq.; Mrs. James J. Cantwell, James J. Cantwell, Esq.; Miss M. Cantwell, D. W. Carpmills, Esq.; Mrs. Cassidy, Miss Beresford E. Clarke, Mrs. A. M. Collum, Edward Connolly, Esq., B.L.; Rev. Aloysius Corbett, O.D.C.; Richard Croker, Esq.; Mrs. Margaret Cullinane, John W. Cumming, Esq.; Mrs. Davys, Miss Mary Dodd, Rev. J. O. Gage Dougherty, M.A.; Sir Joseph Downes, J.P.; Lady Downes, Daniel S. Doyle, Esq., LL.B.; Right Rev. Monsignor J. J. Dunne, P.P., V.G.; Miss Josephine de Lacy Dwyer, Frank J. Egan, Esq.; Miss Jane Fair, Hon. Mrs. F. A. Farrell, Edmund Johnstone Figgis, Esq.; William Findlater, Esq., M.A.; John Fogarty, Esq., J.P.; Miss Agnes French, W. Houghton Fry, Esq.; Mrs. W. Houghton Fry, Miss Mary L. Fry, Rev. H. V. Gill, S.J.; Rev. Thomas Good, B.D.; James Gorevan, Esq.; Kearsley Egerton L. G. Gunn, Esq., F.R.C.S.I.; Mrs. Cornelius Hannan, William M. Hatte, Esq., F.S.I.; Mrs. A. Henderson, Miss Henshaw, Miss Elinor W. Hobson, Right Hon. Jonathan Hogg, P.C., D.L.; John S. Hyland, Esq., J.P.; G. Jameson Johnston, Esq., F.R.C.S.I.; J. Lyons Jones, Esq.; Ambrose Aliaga Kelly, Esq.; Rev. John Kelly, P.P.; Mrs. Vincent Kelly, Mrs. Anna Garvey Kelly, J. Edward Kennan, Esq.; Rev. Chancellor H. B. Kennedy, B.D.; Edward Lee, Esq., J.P.; Mrs. Edward Lee, Ernest F. Leet, Esq., B.L.; Mrs. A. Leigh, Rev. E. H. Lewis Crosby, B.D.; Mrs. Mary E. Lindsay, Major Wm. George Lindsay, A. Lloyd-Blood, Esq.; Edmond Long, Esq.; Frank A. Lowe, Esq.; Patrick Lynch, Esq., K.C.; Miss Maude MacCrossan, Rev. A. W. Bradshaw Mack, M.A.; John M'Bride, Esq., J.P.; Thomas Charles M'Cormick, Esq.; James Mahony, Esq.; Mrs. Laurence Malone, Miss May Martin, Miss Mary Alleyne Maunsell, Miss Stella May, Geo. P. Meldon, Esq., F.R.C.S.I.; Rev. Canon F. W. Mervyn, M.A.; David W. Mitchell, Esq.; John Mooney, Esq., C.V.O., D.L., J.P.; Miss Margaret E. Mooney, Miss Elizabeth Moore, Mrs. N. L. Moran, Laurence Mulligan, Esq., J.P.; John A. Mulligan, Esq., L.D.S.; Patrick James Murphy, Esq.; Very Rev. Canon W. J. Murphy, P.P.; Daniel J. Murphy, Esq.; Mrs. Evelyn Murray, Miss Amabel L. Newsom, James Nichols, Esq., J.P.; Miss Edith M. Nichols, B.A.; Miss Mabelle M. Nolan, Miss O'Brien, Miss Margaret E. F. O'Conor, Bernard M. O'Grady, Esq.; Rev. Thomas W. O'Ryan, C.C.; Miss Millicent Ormsby, Miss Agnes Paul, Miss Lucy G. Peter, Miss Mary Pike, Alfred D. Price, Esq., M.Inst. C.E.; Daniel Purcell, Esq.; Miss Lydia B. Rawson, Francis R. Ridgeway, Esq.; Mrs. F. R. Ridgeway, Miss Dorothy Ridgeway, Archibald Robinson, Esq., J.P.; Miss Redington Roche, Miss Rorke, Mrs. Agnes M. Sims, Trevor N. Smith, Esq., F.R.C.S.I., J.P.; Frederick W. Smith, Esq.; Miss Wilhelmina Georgina Stacpoole, John Supple, Esq.; F. Francis Sutherland, Esq.; Rev. Henry Taylor, M.A.; Miss Marie Tierney, Mrs. Panonia Tittle-Hamilton, P. W. Tonney, Esq.; Rev. Francis J. Wall, C.C.; William Wallace, Esq.; T. S. Wallace, Esq.; Joseph Ward, Esq., J.P.; James R. Warner, Esq.; Samuel P. Wilmot, Esq., J.P.; Miss R. M. Winslow, Robert Lloyd Woolcombe, Esq., LL.D.

Apologies for non-attendance were received from: Sir William Fry, D.L., J.P. (Chairman); A. C. Cameron, Esq., and Mrs. Cameron; Robert Holmes, Esq.; Rev. Canon J. A. Jennings, M.A.; Henry J. Monahan, Esq., B.L.; Sir George Roche, and Sir William J. Thompson, M.D.

The proceedings of the last meeting of the Board were read, confirmed, and signed.

Mrs. Edward Lee, Mrs. James Cantwell, Laurence Mulligan, Esq., J.P., and William Beckett, Esq., having kindly consented to act, were appointed Visiting Governors for the month.

Payments gratefully acknowledged and six new Life Governors of the Hospital were unanimously elected as such:—Thomas B. Brereton, Esq. (per Vice-Chairman), £21; Lett Sealy Lett, Esq., qualifying as Life Governor his son, Harold A. Lett, Esq., B.A. (per Hon. Treasurer), £21; Francis R. Ridgeway, Esq. (Life Governor), qualifying as Life Governor his daughter, Miss Dorothy Ridgeway (per Hon. Treasurer), £21; Frank A. Lowe, Esq. (per Hon. Treasurer), £21; Laurence Mulligan, Esq., J.P. (Life Governor), qualifying as Life Governor his son, John A. Mulligan, Esq., L.D.S., £21; Daniel J. Murphy, Esq., £21.

The Vice-Chairman announced, with regret, that the Hospital's banking account is at present overdrawn to the extent of £9,235 12s. 9d., and he made an urgent appeal to the Governors and friends of the institution throughout Ireland for funds to aid in its reduction. The largely increased cost of all hospital necessaries has added considerably to the responsibilities assumed by the Board of Governors in undertaking the entire care and support of over 200 helpless invalids, and the growing debt to the bank is causing anxiety.

The election of patients was the next business proceeded with. Twenty-four names appeared on the printed list, and 10 candidates were in attendance. Twelve of the applicants were medically certified as unable to attend. The following, having obtained the highest number of votes, were declared duly elected patients, viz.:—Frances D'Arcy, lupus of the face and hands; Mary Lynch, consumption; Mary Josephine Clarke, cancer of the throat; Ellen Gannon, heart disease; Elizabeth Riley, rheumatoid arthritis; Harriett Pharr, general tuberculosis and lupus.

The Board were reluctantly obliged to reject quite a number of distressing cases afflicted with consumption, asthma, bronchitis, heart disease, paralysis, and rheumatoid arthritis—owing to want of further accommodation.

The Board adjourned to Tuesday, the 16th day of November, 1920, when an election for male patients will be held.

The Board tender their grateful thanks for the following kind contributions received since last meeting:—£10 10s. from P. J. Murphy (Life Governor); £2 2s. from Mrs. Davys (Life Governor). £1 1s. each from—William M. Rooney, Esq.; James Nichols, Esq., J.P. (Life Governor). £1 each from—Mrs. Marcus T. Moses (Life Governor), Mrs. T. Beggo (Life Governor), Miss Ellen D. Ogilvy (Life Governor), "A Friend of the Hospital" (per Rev. Aloysius Corbett, O.D.C.). 10s. each from—R. A. Synge, Esq.; Miss R. M. Winslow (Life Governor), Miss H. L. Little (Life Governor).

Further contributions are needed to reduce the pressing bank overdraft, and will be gratefully received by Sir William Fry, D.L., J.P., Chairman, 14 Lower Mount street, Dublin; William Perrin, Esq., Vice-Chairman, Rocklands, Stillorgan; Alfred G. Hollinshead, Esq., J.P., Hon. Treasurer, The Haven, Palmerston Gardens, Rathmines; or by the Registrar, at the Hospital.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

DUBLIN ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Barometer—30. Wind and Weather—Northerly wind, fresh breeze, overcast.

Foreign Arrivals—Ss. Tallo, of Rotterdam, 347 tons register, Captain Bos, from Rotterdam, with a general cargo consigned to order; agents, Messrs. Palgrave Murphy and Co., Eden quay, discharging into Shelter Sheds, Alexandra Basin.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Menevia, from Holyhead, with passengers, etc.; ss. Lady Emerald, ss. Lady Kerry, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Magpie, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Olive, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Carrowdore, from London, with empties; Claggan (sch.), from Connach's quay, with bricks; ss. Eastwick, from Thameshaven, with oil; ss. Annie Christian, from Glasgow, with coals; ss. Puffin, from Garston, with coals; ss. Irena, from Point of Aire, with coals; ss. Dinorwic, Margaret Garton, from Ayr, with coals; ss. Kelburn, from Preston, with coals; ss. Ardri, from Partington, with coals; ss. Jennie, from Silloth, with coals; ss. Cliffsider, from Belfast, light.

Coastwise Departures—Ss. Menevia, for Holyhead, with passengers, etc.; ss. Lady Wicklow, ss. Comic, for Liverpool, with goods; ss. Olive, for Heysham, with goods; ss. Magpie, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Patrick, for Manchester, with porter; ss. Mourne, for Garston, light; ss. Silver City, for Belfast, light; ss. Holyhead, for Birkenhead, light; Young Dan (motor), for Arklow, light; ss. Glenageary, for Maryport, light; ss. Kingsbridge Packet, for Swansea, light; ss. Ortnis, for Avonmouth, light; ss. Polstream, for Barry Roads, light; Helen Swanzy, for London, light; ss. Samoa, for Ayr, light; ss. Inchbrayock, for Penmaenmawr, light.

LLOYD'S SHIPPING NEWS.

Mails.

ANDES, from Southampton, arr. Monte Video 19th.
ASIAN, from Liverpool, arr. New Orleans 20th.
ARMADALE CASTLE, Southampton for Port Natal, arr. Table Bay 20th.
BORODINO, London for Constantinople, and NINIVE, from Barry, arr. Malta 20th.
BOULAMA, London for Teneriffe, called Madeira 19th.
BOLINGBROKE, Montreal for Liverpool, arr. Halifax 19th.
BOUTRY, for England, left Sierra Leone 17th.
BARDIC, for New York, left Gravesend 21st.
CARMANIA, Liverpool for New York, arr. Halifax 20th.
BIAFRA, for England, left Calabar 16th.
COMMONWEALTH, Sydney for London, arr. Table Bay 20th.
CORONADO, for Santa Marta, left Bristol 21st.
CANADA CORSICAN, Liverpool for Montreal, and SCOTIAN, London for Montreal, arr. Quebec 20th.
DUNDRUM CASTLE, for Tees, left Marseilles 19th.
DAKARMARN, from Grangemouth, arr. Nagasaki 17th.
DESNA, for Liverpool, left Lisbon 20th.
DURHAM CASTLE, from London, arr. Killindini 20th.
DONGARRA, for Australia, left Glasgow 20th.
EDINBURGH CASTLE, Southampton for Table Bay, called Madeira 21st.
GIESSEN, from Immingham, arr. Monte Video 18th.
GUILDFORD CASTLE, from London, arr. Delagoa Bay 19th.
GASCON, from London, arr. Killindini 19th.
HIGHLAND PRIDE, London for Plate, left Lisbon 19.
HIGHLAND LADDIE, for Buenos Ayres, left Gravesend 21st.
HIGHLAND LOCH, for London, left La Plata 19th.
KANSAS, Shanghai for London, arr. Saigon 20th.
KAMO MARU, for Yokohama, left Gravesend 20th.
KAISERIN AUGUSTE VICTORIA, from New York, arr. Liverpool 21st.
KAISAR-I-HIND, Bombay for London, arr. Gibraltar 21st.
LAGOS, for London, left Saint Michael's 19th.
LANCASHIRE, from London, arr. Rangoon 19th.
LOGICIAN, from Clyde, arrived Vera Cruz 20th.
MAJPRAH, from England, arr. Lagos 16th.
METAGAMA, for Liverpool, left Quebec 19th.
MARIE ROSE, from Barry, arr. Philadelphia 20th.
MANORA, Calcutta for London, arr. Marseilles 19th.
MOREA, London for Bombay, called Aden 21st.
MESABA, from London, arr. New York 20th.
MEGANTIC, for Liverpool, left Quebec 19th.
MANCO, Manaos for Liverpool, called Madeira 19th.
NEW COLUMBIA, from New Orleans, arr. Gravesend 21st.
NALDERA, London for Sydney, arr. Adelaide 21st.
OFFENBACH, from Avonmouth, arr. Port Natal 19th.
ORONTES, Brisbane for London, left Naples 20th.
OROGNA, from Coronel, and SITTANG, from Rangoon, arrived Liverpool 21st.
PRAHN, from England, arr. Lagos 17th.
PEMBROKESHIRE, London for Yokohama, arr. Shanghai 18th.
PATANI, from England, arr. Dakar 16th.
POLYCARP, from Liverpool, arr. Leixoes 18th.
POLGLASS CASTLE, from Port Arthur, arr. Cardiff 20th.
PORT VICTOR, Clyde for New Zealand, left Colon 16.
QUILLOTA, London for Guayaquil, arr. Colon 19th.
SADO MARU, London for Yokohama, arr. Shanghai 19th.
SPHEROID, from Antigua, arrived Gravesend 21st.
SCINDIA, from Bombay, arrived Glasgow 19th.
TEVIOT, for London, left Kingston 20th.
VERENTIA, from Montreal, arr. Gravesend 21st.
VIGO, for Hull, left Karachi 17th.
VESTRIS, for Liverpool, left Buenos Ayres 17th.
YOKOHAMA MARU, Yokohama for London, arr. Hong Kong 19th.

Steamship Movements.

AJAX, from Liverpool, arrived Shanghai 20th.
ACHILLES, for London, left Manila 20th.
BENMOHR, Melbourne for Leith, arr. Port Natal 19th.
BENALDER, from London, arrived Nagasaki 19th.
CHERRY BRANCH, Liverpool for Coronel, arr. Colon 19th.
CLAN MACINNES, for London, left Calcutta 18th.
CLAN MENZIES, from Liverpool, arr. Port Natal 19.
CYPRIAN PRINCE, for Alexandria, left Manchester 21.
CLAN OGILVY, from London, arr. New York 19th.
GLENIFFER, from London, arr. Port Swettenham 20th.
GLENARY, from London, called Hakodate 18th.
HYSON, Liverpool for Sourabaya, arr. Port Said 20th.
MAIMYO, from Liverpool, arrived Calcutta 17th.
MATHERAN, from Calcutta, arr. Gravesend 21st.
MENTOR, for London, left Shanghai 19th.
WEIRINGEN, from Newport, arr. Port Said 20th.

Casualties.

Lorenco Marques telegraphs:—Steamer Umsinga reports spoke British steamer Surat with engines broken down September 14th; latitude 12 S., longitude 48 E.; captain reported had been through four days' repairs, probably be completed further two days; refused assistance.

British steamer Dunerie, from Fowey, at St. Michael's, leaking in forehold.

Dover telegraphs that the report that American steamer American had arrived there accident engine trouble was erroneous.

New York cables:—British steamer Turret Crown put in, accident, engine trouble.

A wireless message received states:—British steamer Norwich City, from New Orleans for Saint Nazaire, with wheat, in latitude 47.13 N., longitude 15.32 West, fire in cross bunkers, spreading to No. 2 hold; bulkhead leaking; cargo damage by fire and water.

Rouen telegraphs:—French steamer Parame, for Rotterdam, in ballast, going down river collided with British steamer Beltoy, from Cardiff, with cargo patent fuel; former proceeded, apparently undamaged; latter has bulwarks and stanchions damaged on port side.

Cunard Movements.

BARON BERWICK arrived at Swansea on Sunday from Liverpool.
CANADIAN TRAPPER left Montreal on Saturday for London.
CARMANIA left Halifax at 2 p.m. on Monday for New York.
CORBY arrived at Valencia on Saturday from Limni.
CARONIA left New York at noon on Saturday for London, via Plymouth and Cherbourg.
KAISERIN AUGUSTE VICTORIA arrived at Liverpool at 11 p.m. on Monday from New York.
MAURETANIA, from Southampton for New York, 375 miles west of Bishop's at noon on Monday.
RIVER ORONTES left Constantinople on Friday for Smyrna.
SEA HOUND arrived at Havre on Monday from Liverpool.
TYRIA left Malta on Monday for Patras.
VOLUMNIA left New York on Friday for London.
VERBANIA arrived at Philadelphia on Friday from New York.
VENUSIA left Montreal on Sunday for London, via Three Rivers and Quebec.

CENTRAL EMERGENCY FUND.

A meeting of the Diocesan Committee of the Central Emergency Fund was held at the Diocesan Offices, Dublin, on Monday, when the accounts, as audited by Mr. R. E. Hamilton, were adopted. It was decided that the report for the year and the statement of accounts should be printed and issued to the members of the Joint Synods for Dublin, Glendalough, and Kildare. The report shows that a sum of £12,180 11s. in gifts and promises is credited to the United Dioceses for the Central Emergency Fund. Mr. H. Litton Carey was appointed Hon. Secretary of the Committee, in the room of Rev. E. H. Lewis-Crosby, who has had to resign owing to pressure of other work.

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

St. Mary's Parish Church.—Morning Service to-day at 11.30 o'clock. Preacher, Rev. F. C. Lovely.

St. Paul's Church, North King street.—Special Intercession Service for Ireland this evening at 8 o'clock.

Baggotrath Church.—Morning Prayer and address to-day at 11.30 o'clock. Rev. Canon Mervyn.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 35 Molesworth street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m., 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m.; Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. The Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open free to the public daily from 11 a.m.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch Church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), Rathmines Park.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m.; Wednesday evening, Testimony Meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading Room open daily at 85 Grafton street.

RICHMOND DISTRICT ASYLUM.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

Owing to the withdrawal of State Grants-in-Aid to Municipal and County Authorities in Ireland, and the consequent reduction in payments to the Asylum Authorities, and also to the withdrawal of subsidies on flour, coal, sugar, etc., previously in force, a position of financial embarrassment has been created which the Joint Committee must take immediate steps to meet.

In the circumstances they are obliged to consider the discharge of all patients who, while not certified as sane, are considered to be neither dangerous to themselves nor the general community, unless arrangements can be made by their friends to contribute to the cost of their maintenance.

There are 3,281 patients in the Richmond and Portrane Asylums. In not ten per cent. of these cases is *any* contribution made towards maintenance, and in many cases in which a payment is made the amount is so small as to be negligible. Families and individuals in reasonably comfortable circumstances are content to allow the maintenance of their mentally afflicted relatives to be a charge on the public rates, where at least a partial contribution might be made towards their support.

It costs at present 25s. per week (£65 per year) to keep a patient in the Richmond Asylum or 150 per cent. over the pre-war figure, this figure covering medical and skilled nursing attendance and administration expenses.

Any patient not certified to be recovered whose maintenance is paid for at the full rate of £65 per annum will not be discharged, unless on the application of friends; but the Committee are proceeding to examine into the cases of harmless patients whose maintenance entails a charge on the public rates of the district (the City of Dublin and the Counties of Dublin, Wicklow, and Louth).

Relatives and friends of patients in the Richmond and Portrane Institutions who are in a position to contribute towards maintenance, either wholly or in part, are requested to communicate *immediately* with the undersigned, and submit their propositions for the consideration of the Sub-Committee appointed to deal with the matter.

W. J. MURPHY, Chief Clerk.

Offices, Grangegorman, Dublin, September 21st, 1920.

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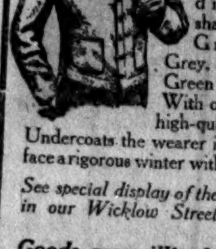
Referring to the winding-up of the Moor Line, Limited, at Newcastle, Sir Walter Runciman announced the formation of the Runciman Navigation Company, with a capital of £1,000,000.



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THE ALLEGED TURF FRAUD.

THE "SILVER BADGE" CASE.

Further evidence was given at the Old Bailey, London, yesterday, in the Turf fraud cases with reference to the substitution of Shining More for Silver Badge at Cheltenham in December last, and the winning of the Malvern Selling Race by the substituted horse.

Arthur Camp, owner of a livery yard, told how the mare came to his yard as a "bay" and returned as a "dark brown."

Tom Hulme, jockey, described how he won the race.

W. Donnelly, trainer, of Epsom, said that Shining More was brought to his stables by Hopkins. Her coat was so bad that he thought the mare was suffering from skin disease. He handed her back to Barrie after a time.

Evidence having been given to the effect that Weisz had bets on Silver Badge, evidence for the defence was called.

A witness named Lawley deposed to meeting Barrie in March, 1919, and to entering a horse for him in his own name, on Barrie's suggestion, on the grounds that otherwise the odds would be so short that it would not be worth his while to run it.

The further hearing was adjourned.

GOLF.

VARDON AND RAY WIN.

A Press Association telegram, dated New York, Monday, states:—Their sequence of recent defeats was, to-day, broken by Harry Vardon and Ted Ray on the Garden City Club's course. They defeated two prominent championship American competitors, Frank Macnamara (Cherry Valley Club), and Jack Dowling (Scarsdale), in a match over 36 holes, by 3 and 1.

MILLTOWN.—The challenge cup presented by the late Mr. J. A. Carlyle has been won by W. Ryan (10), who beat J. C. Cunningham (18) by 3 and 2 in the final. The best cards returned for the novices' prize were:—V. Arnold Carroll (25), 86; M. A. Corrigan (25), 89. Ladies.—September semi-open foursome result:—Mrs. Babington (6) and Miss Jeffcott (6) (Killiney), 82; Mrs. Cussen (24) and Mrs. Madill (plus 1) (Sutton), 83½.

GRANGE.—Club four-ball:—G. Kirkland (17) and F. Parker (19), 4 up. Saturday—Final of Wednesday competition.

HERMITAGE.—Result of open mixed foursomes—S. Scott and Miss Duignam, 1 down; G. Moore and Miss McGrath, 1 down; R. N. Sheridan and Mrs. Harrison, 2 down. Saturday next—Captain's prize.

GREYSTONES.—The Open Mixed Foursomes competition against bogey, in aid of the Dublin Hospitals' Fund, was played on Saturday. Result—Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. F. Swayne, 1 up; Dr. and Miss Dunlop, all square; Capt. D. T. Figgis and Mrs. A. B. West, 1 down; A. A. McConnell and Miss Bewley, 2 down; Colonel C. Hamilton and Miss M. French, 3 down; J. and Miss Fitzpatrick, 2 down; W. B. Dobbs and Miss Deverell, 3 down.

DELGANY.—Result of stroke competition, held on 18th inst.—E. Davy—89, 20, 69; Dr. F. O'B. Kennedy—95, 22, 73; J. Saul—88, 14, 74.

FIRE NEAR OLDCASTLE.

MANSION CONSIDERABLY DAMAGED.

A serious outbreak of fire occurred at Mr. G. Rotherham's mansion near Oldcastle, which is presently occupied by military. The fire, it is stated, originated in the oil stores. The flames rapidly spread to the ammunition stores overhead, but the soldiers succeeded in extinguishing the fire with sandbags before any explosions took place. Considerable damage has been done.

REFUSED TO WORK WITH POLICE AT A FIRE.

On Sunday morning a rick of hay the property of Major Hanford, D.L., of Flood Hall, Stoneyford, Co. Kilkenny, was discovered on fire at his farm at Cuffe's Grange, seven miles from Kilkenny. The police in Kilkenny were communicated with, and, having in vain tried to procure a fire engine, seven men under District Inspector White left in motors for the scene of the outbreak. On their arrival some fifteen men who were throwing bucketfuls of water on the fire walked away. When asked to help in extinguishing the flames some of them refused. The small force of police, with the assistance of Captain Charnley and his chauffeur and Mr. Mirrison, Major Hanford's steward, after some time succeeded in removing the top of the rick, and in cutting away the burning sides and ends with hay knives. The fire was extinguished after six hours' work, and half the rick saved. The police and their helpers also prevented the fire from spreading to other ricks of hay and the out-offices in the yard.

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ARBITRATION COURT AND LAND CLAIMS.

Claims reaching back for eighty years have been advanced to land in South Westmeath at the Arbitration Court in Athlone. The President, reciting a direction from Dail Eireann, stated that land with good tenure for twenty years and upwards could not be disputed. They were determined to put an end to frivolous land claims. In the case in question the claim was dismissed, the "Court" fees forfeited, and £2 costs awarded.

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SPORTING NEWS.

CURRAGH MEETING—

OPENING DAY.

THE ANGLESEY STAKES.

VICTORY OF RUSSIAN SABLE.

THREE WINNERS FOR S. JEFFERY.

The sport on the opening day did not attain to a particularly high standard, but it, nevertheless, proved fairly interesting, and a feature was the success attending horses trained by S. Jeffery at the Heath, Maryborough. That establishment sent out the winners of a moiety of the half-dozen events on the card, and two of them were ridden by that fine horseman, M. Wing. The weather, if a trifle cold, was fine and bright, and the company of average strength for a first day.

Loup was slightly preferred to Ardscull for the Scurry Plate, the value of which has been raised from 100 to 200 sovs., but after showing prominently for a little better than five furlongs he faded out of the picture, and Ardscull, resisting the eleventh-hour challenge of Silvermore, won comfortably. Two recent winners, Glannagalt and Blackladies, each of which was carrying a 10lb. penalty, had the finish of the Loughbrown Plate to themselves, and an exciting affair it was. They came very close together in the concluding stages, and in a bumping set-to Blackladies prevailed by a neck, only to suffer disqualification for boring; whilst his jockey, M. Beary, was fined 25 sovs. and suspended from riding for the remainder of the meeting.

A party of eight turned out for the Anglesey Stakes, Captain Charles Moore being represented by Russian Sable and Martinet, and he declared to win with the latter, who was promptly promoted to favouritism. She, however, was one of the first beaten, and after The O'Donoghue had momentarily flattered a quarter of a mile out, Russian Sable dashed into the lead, and thenceforward it was a procession, the Heath filly winning with consummate ease, and she obviously stays well. As was presaged in the wagering, the Curragh Plate proved little more than an exercise canter for Wavy Stripe, who gave lumps of weight and a decisive thrashing to four moderate opponents. This was his sixth consecutive success, each of them very easily achieved, and, all going well in the meantime, he will not lack support from this side for the Cambridgeshire, in which his impost is 7st. 10lb.

Another odds-on chance in Llangarren accounted for the Brownstown Plate, but he had to be hard ridden to shake off the attentions of Volage Pet, who, following a slow beginning, was fast catching the leader in the last hundred yards, and she may have been a trifle unlucky. The Kildare Plate brought into opposition some useful handicap horses, and it provided a fine race, in which, however, the plunged upon Princess Wavelet failed to distinguish herself. Daylight Saver, on the other hand, looked all over the winner till close home; but, finishing out his race far from generously, was caught and beaten by Martinique, who had been "pocketted" half-way up the straight. Swimmer ran right well under top weight, and would probably have been nearer the winner had he not been slightly hampered in the course of the race. Details:—

1.30.—SCURRY PLATE of 200 sovs. A handicap. 6 f. 63 yds.
Mr. J. Rogers's br. g. ARDSCULL, by Farasi—What a Fairy, 3, 8-11 ....H. Beasley 1
Mr. Hill's SILVERMORE, 3, 7-7 ....Dines 2
Col. Honner's GLENSTELLA, 3, 8-11 ....Patman 3
Mr. Gray's Loup, 3, 8-7 ....M. Beary 0
Mr. P. Shaw's Tinode, 6, 8-6 ....E. Quirke 0
Mr. Parrish's Vico, a, 8-2 ....Wing 0
Mr. D. Power's Organa, 3, 7-11 ....Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. Cogan's Victoricus, 3, 7-5 ....M. Ward 0
Major Edwards's Dono, a, 7-0 ....P. Cullen 0
Mr. Farrington's Killashee, a, 7-0, car. 7-1 ....Feane 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. Loup, 3 to 1 ARDSCULL, 5 to 1 each Glenstella and Silvermore, 8 to 1 Tinode, 100 to 8 any other.

Vico and Organa began slowly, and Glenstella made the running from Loup, Huonora, Ardscull, Silvermore, and Victoricus for five furlongs, when Ardscull drew to the front, followed by Loup, Glenstella, Tinode, and Silvermore. Close home Silvermore took second place, but failed to overhaul Ardscull, who won by three parts of a length; two and a half lengths divided second and third. Loup was fourth, Tinode fifth, Victoricus sixth, and Vico seventh.

2.0.—LOUGHBROWN PLATE of 300 sovs. A nursery handicap. 5 f.
Mr. I. J. Blake's br. f. GLANNAGALT, by Senseless—Blackmount, 8-7 (10lb. ex.) ....Wing 1
Mr. Laidlaw's LAVEROCK, 8-9 ....Patman 2
Mr. Gill's KINGSBRIDGE, 7-10 ....H. Beasley 3
Capt. Fowler's Sunny Bird, 8-11 ....Winter 0
Mr. R. Croker's Orcelone, 8-7 ....T. Burns 0
Mr. Wallace's Mor Valley, 8-4 ....Dines 0
Mr. Kenyon's High Colour, 8-2 ....Oates 0
Mr. Parkinson's Clara B., 7-13 ....E. Quirke 0
Mr. Bowcher's Gibs, 7-0 ....Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. Low's Blackladies, 8-1 (10lb. ex.)
M. Beary, disq.
(Winner trained by Fetherston.)

Betting—5 to 1 agst. GLANNAGALT, 4 to 1 Orcelone, 6 to 1 each Blackladies and Mor Valley, 7 to 1 Kingsbridge, 100 to 8 any other.

Kingsbridge led from High Colour, Laverock, Blackladies, Glannagalt, and Gibs, with Sunny Bird next. So they ran for half the journey, when Blackladies assumed command, and, resisting the challenge of Glannagalt, won by a neck; three lengths divided second and third. Kingsbridge was fourth, Orcelone fifth, Mor Valley sixth, and Gibs seventh.

An objection to the winner for boring was upheld, and the race awarded to Glannagalt. M. Beary, the rider of Blackladies, was fined £25, and suspended from riding again at the meeting after the Anglesey Stakes.

2.40.—ANGLESEY STAKES of 10 sovs. each for acceptors, with 500 sovs. added by the Turf Club. For 2-Y.O. 6 f. 63 yds.
Capt. C. Moore's b. f. RUSSIAN SABLE, by St. Marten—Countess Torby, 8-6 ....E. Quirke 1
Mr. J. J. Maher's SILVER QUEEN, 8-6 M. Beary 2
Mr. R. Croker's FLORENA, 8-6 ....T. Burns 3
Mr. D. Sullivan's The O'Donoghue, 8-10 ....Dines 0
Mr. A. M'Cann's Teltown, 8-10 ....Aylin 0
Col. Knox's Low Tide, 8-10 ....Patman 0
Capt. C. Moore's Martinet, 8-6 ....Wing 0
Mr. C. T. Wallis's Orby Lass, 8-6 ....D. Ward 0
(Winner trained by Jeffery.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Martinet, 4 to 1 RUSSIAN SABLE, 6 to 1 each Florena and Teltown, 10 to 1 any other.

Capt. C. Moore declared to win with Martinet.

Orby Lass showed the way to Martinet, Russian Sable, Silver Queen, Teltown, The O'Donoghue, and Low Tide, for nearly four furlongs, when Russian Sable assumed command, and making the remainder of the running won in a canter by five lengths from Silver Queen, with Florena, eight lengths off, third. Orby Lass was fourth, Martinet fifth, Low Tide sixth, The O'Donoghue seventh, and Teltown next.

3.10.—CURRAGH PLATE of 300 sovs. 1 m.
Mr. Cole's ch. c. WAVY STRIPE, by Tidal Wave—Fanlight, 4, 9-11 ....T. Burns 1
Mr. M'Donogh's RIVERSIDE FAIRY, 5, 8-1 ....D. Ward 2
Mr. Kennedy's SUNNY LADY, 3, 7-11 ....Dines 3
Mr. Slocock's Transform, 4, 8-0 ....H. Beasley 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's Green Sea, 3, 7-11 ....J. Crotty 0
(Winner trained by Grundy.)

Betting—6 to 1 on WAVY STRIPE, 7 to 1 agst. Riverside Fairy, 20 to 1 any other.

Green Sea settled down in front of Riverside Fairy, Wavy Stripe, and Sunny Lady, and led until two furlongs from home, when Wavy Stripe drew clear away, and won in a canter by twelve lengths; five lengths divided second and third. Transform was fourth.

3.40.—BROWNSTOWN PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. P. W. Shaw's b. h. LLANGARREN, by Bachelor's Double—Llangarren Lass, 5, 8-7 ....T. Burns 1
Mr. Personne's VOLAGE PET, 5, 7-7 ....Jas Doyle 2
Sir T. Stafford's HANGER-ON, 2, 7-0 ....Patman 3
Mrs. Moloney's Marengo, 3, 7-12 ....D. Ward 0
Mr. Dawson's Derdlim, 3, 7-4 ....Timmins 0
Mr. Myerscough's Sacrosanct, 3, 7-8 ....O'Neill 0
Gen. Sir C. Kavanagh's Ladylike, 6, 6-11 ....Fitzgerald 0
(Winner trained by Fetherston.)

Betting—6 to 4 on LLANGARREN, 3 to 1 agst. Volage Pet, 10 to 1 Hanger-on, 100 to 8 each Sacrosanct and Marengo, 100 to 1 any other.

Llangarren, being quickest into his stride, made the running well clear of Hanger On, Sacrosanct, and Volage Pet. Inside the distance Volage Pet took second place, but Llangarren held her at bay, and won by a length; a length and a half divided second and third. Marengo was fourth, Ladylike fifth, Derdlim sixth, and Sacrosanct next.

4.10.—KILDARE PLATE of 300 sovs. A handicap. 1¼ m.
Col. A. J. Blake's b. f. MARTINIQUE, by Rodney—Nitouche, 3, 8-2 ....Wing 1
Mr. Cole's DAYLIGHT SAVER, 4, 8-11 T. Burns 2
Sir T. Dixon's SWIMMER, 3, 9-0 ....Aylin 3
Mr. Holmes's Shotmaker, a, 9-0 ....Jos. Doyle 0
Mr. W. Morrissey's Vagabond, a, 8-12 J. Beary 0
Mr. Wallace's Athasi, 3, 8-0 ....Dines 0
Mr. Monahan's Fariray, 3, 8-0 ....E. Quirke 0
Mr. Parrish's Princess Wavelet, 3, 7-9 ....H. Beasley 0
(Winner trained by Jeffery.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Princess Wavelet, 4 to 1 Daylight Saver, 6 to 1 each MARTINIQUE and Swimmer, 7 to 1 each Athasia and Fariray, 20 to 1 Vagabond, 100 to 1 Shotmaker.

Fariray set the pace to Athasi, Martinique, Daylight Saver, Swimmer, and Princess Wavelet, and they ran in this order until a quarter of a mile from home, when Daylight Saver drew to the front, but was headed close home by Martinique, who won by half a length; a length divided second and third. Fariray was fourth, Athasi fifth, Princess Wavelet sixth, and vagabond next.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

The Irish St. Leger.

The principal event at the meeting, the Irish St. Leger, will unfortunately fall rather flat owing to the scarcity of runners, and so far as can be gleaned these will only amount to three. They comprise:—

Capt. H. Whitworth's br. c. HE GOES, by Prince Palatine—Feronia, 9-7 ....F. Templeman.
Mr. T. K. Laidlaw's bl. c. KIRK-ALLOWAY, by Tracery—Cantrip, 9-0 ....M. Wing.
Mr. D. J. Cogan's b. c. AEROPLANE, by Sleipner—Consilio, 8-11 ....E. M. Quirke.

Big fields, however, do not always make for good racing, and to-day's contest should be interesting enough. For the winner I shall rely on the Irish Derby winner,

HE GOES

Other selections are:—
Eastern Plate—**Le Roue.**
Experts' Stake—**Red Bee.**
Turf Club Cup—**Shaw's Bridge or Ballyheron.**
Harehill Plate—**Aughavanagh.**
Maddenstown Plate—**Blue Gentian.**

PROGRAMME.

1.30—EASTERN PLATE of 300 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.
Age st. lb.
RAINBOW DIVISION (Mr. Williams) Arnott 4 9 0
HUONORA (Mr. Shaw) ....Parkinson 4 9 0
GAY BACHELOR (Mr. Edwards) Peard 4 9 0
SIR BRYAN (Col. Clarke) ....MacCabe a 8 9
STILL HOPE (Mr. Graham) Parkinson 3 8 7
FORD (Mr. Desmond) ....Dawson 4 8 5
SUMOR (Mr. Wallace) ....Rankin 3 8 4
PROUD FAIRY (Mr. M'Cann) ..Dawson 4 8 0
FAR AND AWAY (Col. Knox) ....Hunter 4 7 13
PLUTARCH (Mr. M'Cormack) Parkinson 3 7 13
RED TARTAN (Mr. Rogers) ....Owner a 7 12
CHICAGO MAY (Mr. Desmond) Parkinson 3 7 9
MANUELITA (Mr. Parkinson) ....Owner 3 7 9
LE ROUE (Mrs. Moore Brabazon)
Brabazon 3 7 0
BARORMA (Major Cape) ....Owner 3 7 0
MARTERION (Mr. Singleton) ....Rice 3 7 0

2.0—EXPERTS' STAKE of 300 sovs. T.Y.O. 1 m.
st. lb.
HARPSICHORD (Mr. Maher) (3lb.) Behan 10 0
CULCAVEY (Mr. Kenyon) (3lb.) McKenna 9 11
WAIT FOR ME (Mr. Parrish) (10lb.) Rogers 9 4
SALVADOR (Mr. Parkinson) (3lb.) ....Owner 9 4
FOXES BRIDGE (Capt. Brasier Creagh)
Jeffery 8 10
KNIGHT OF CLONMEL (Mr. Jos. Wilkinson) (3lb.) ....Behan 8 7
NESTING (Mr. Slope) (3lb.) ....Rogers 8 7
VADIE (Mr. Galstaun) (3lb. and 10lb.)
Parkinson 8 4
CLARE CLAN (Mr. Parkinson) (10lb.) Owner 8 4
BLACK LASS (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) (3lb. and 10lb.)
Parkinson 8 4
THE PORT (Major Dixon) (10lb.) ....Behan 8 4
DER TAG (Mr. Delany) (3lb. and 10lb.)
Dawson 8 1
COUNT HAMPTON (Mr. W. Meagher) (3lb. and 10lb.) ....Morgan 8 1
RED BEE (Mr. P. Rogers) (3lb. and 10lb.)
Dawson 8 1
GLASGOW (Capt. Dixon) (3lb. and 10lb.)
Behan 8 1
TIME (Mr. M'Allinden) (3lb. and 10lb.)
Rankin 8 1
PHILIPPA (Mr. Bowcher) (10lb.) ....Trench 8 1
KINGSKIDDY (Mr. Dwyer) (10lb.) ....Owner 8 0
CELTIC MIST (Mr. Coen) (10lb.) ....Owner 8 0
START AGAIN (Mr. O'Driscoll) (10lb.)
Dawson 8 0
ST. PHELIM (Mr. Coen) (10lb.) ....Owner 8 0
ALICE QUICKTHORN (Col. Honner) (3lb. and 10lb.) ....Hunter 7 11
ERIN'S FALLOCH (Col. Honner) (3lb. and 10lb.) ....Behan 7 11
MR. PORTA (Mr. S. Jeffery) (3lb. and 10lb.) ....Owner 7 11

2.40—THE IRISH ST. LEGER of 2,000 sovs. 1 m. 6 f.
ORBY'S PRIDE (Mr. de Pledge) ....Rhodes 9 7
TETRATEMA (Major McCalmont) ....Persse 9 7
SARCHEDON (Mr. Buchanan) ....Gilpin 9 7
HE GOES (Capt. H. Whitworth) ....Butters 9 7
SPION KOP (3lb.) (Major Giles Loder)
Gilpin 9 4
GREY MONK (Mr. Buchanan) ....Gilpin 9 0
HOPSACK (Mr. R. C. Dawson) ....Hogg 9 0
DUNKIRK (Capt. Hanbury) ....R. Dawson 9 0
DOON STAR (Mr. Burns) ....Burns 9 0
ATTILIUS (Sir W. Nelson) ....R. Dawson 9 0
OLD CHRIS (Duke of Portland) ....Waugh 9 0
MASTER McGRATH (Mr. O. Toole) ....Behan 9 0
ZRIA'S CHARM (Mr. J. C. Sullivan) ....Behan 9 0
GAY SCHOLAR (Lady Torrington) ....Souray 9 0
LOMBARD (Mr. W. Parrish) ....Rogers 9 0
THE GAFFER (Mr. Donoghue) ....Hobbs 9 0
KIRK-ALLOWAY (Mr. Laidlaw) ....Hunter 9 0
GOLDEN GUINEA (Major Giles Loder)
Gilpin 9 0
PALESTINE (3lb.) (Mr. Benson) ....J. Jarvis 8 11
BRAEMAR (3lb.) (Mr. I. J. Blake) ....Jeffery 8 11
ROCHFORD (3lb.) (Mr. W. Raphael) Linton 8 11
RED RHETORIC (3lb.) (Capt. E. Shirley)
Rogers 8 11
MICHAELIS LIBER (3lb.) (Mr. Carr) Reidy 8 11
VIVALDI (3lb.) (Sir E. Cassel) ....Powney 8 11
AEROPLANE (3lb.) (Mr. Cogan) ....Rice 8 11
BUZANCY (Mr. Corbett) ....Beatty 8 11
LOWESWATER (Mrs. F. Wise) ....Private 8 11
RECALL (Mr. Gant) ....Tabor 8 11
GREEK VINE (3lb.) (Major Giles Loder)
Gilpin 8 11
SUPERSTITION (3lb.) (Mr. A. Lowry)
Hy. Powney 8 11
WILY ATTORNEY (3lb.) (Mr. A. Lowry)
Dawson 8 11
TETRAMETER (3lb.) (Major McCalmont)
Persse 8 11

3.10—TURF CLUB CUP, value 100 sovs. with 300 sovs. added by the Turf Club. Weight for age. 7 f.
Age. st. lb.
GOLDEN FLEECE (Mr. Parrish)
Rogers a 10 0
SWIMMER (Sir T. Dixon) ....Hunter 3 9 7
ROYAL ASHE (Mr. Wallace) ....Rankin 3 9 7
CORN KALE (Mr. R. Croker) ....Grundy 3 9 7
DAYLIGHT SAVER (Mr. Cole) ....Grundy 4 9 2
PLACE ROYALE (Capt. C. Moore)
Jeffery 3 9 1
RED RHETORIC (Capt. Shirley) Rogers 3 9 1
MISS BRIAN BORU (Capt. B. Daly)
Grundy 3 8 13
LOUP (Mr. Gray) ....Behan 3 8 13
ORGANA (Mr. D. J. Power) ....Doyle 3 8 13
ULULA (Mr. A. M'Cann) ....Dawson 3 8 9
FALLOCHY (Col. Honner) ....Behan 3 8 9
ZRIA'S CHARM (Mr. J. C. Sullivan)
Behan 3 8 9
RECTITUDE (Mr. Carr) ....Reidy 3 7 13
MERMAID (Mr. Kenyon) ....McKenna 3 7 13
GRAVEL GLASS (Hon. Lady McCalmont) ....MacCabe 3 7 13
GLANDURRA (Major Gerrard) Anthony 3 7 13
RATHFARAN (Mr. Tully) ....Owner 3 7 12
BELSIZE (Mr P. W. Shaw) Parkinson 2 7 12
DICTATION (Capt. Shirley) ....Rogers 2 7 6
SHAW'S BRIDGE (Mr. D. Wallace)
Rankin 2 7 6
FESTIVITY (Capt. Dixon) ....Beban 2 7 4
COOLDRINAGH (Mr. Hetherington)
Anthony 2 7 4
BACHELOR'S FORT (Mr. A. Lowry)
Dawson 2 7 0
BOLTOWN (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson 2 6 9
BALLYHERON (Col. Charteris) ....Hunter 2 6 9
ABBEY ISLAND (Mr. Hetherington)
Anthony 2 6 9
IREUX (Lord Lascelles) ....Dewhurst 2 6 9
DINIA (Mr. Mahon) ....Morgan 2 6 9
CLARE CLAN (Mr. Parkinson) ....Owner 2 6 9

3.40—HAREHILL PLATE of 200 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.
st. lb.
ESSEXFORD (Capt. Shirley) ....Rogers 8 12
PILGRIM'S PASS (Gen. Sir H. Singh)
Parkinson 8 12
DUNDONALD (Major Dixon) ....Behan 8 12
RISING STORM (Mr. Hutchinson)
Prendergast 8 12
LOW TIDE (Col. Knox) ....Hunter 8 12
BENROE (Mr. Lecke) ....Banghan 8 12
ERRIGAL (Mr. Fullerton) ....MacCabe 8 12
SILVER PRINCE (Mr. Goodman) ..Parkinson 8 12
FAIRY THOUGHT (Capt. Bloomfield)
Private 8 9
KNOCK BRACK (Mr. Grene) ....Owner 8 9
DR. BARNEY (Mr. Grearke) ....Anthony 8 9
ECILA (Mr. M. Arnott) ....Owner 8 9
PERSONIFY (Mr. Barry) ....Hardy 8 9
PHILIPPA (Mr. Bowcher) ....Rankin 8 9
MY VIOLET (Mr. Christie) ....Rankin 8 9
BELLACONG (Miss Cowhy) ....Parkinson 8 9
MULGOBA (Mr. R. Croker) ....Grundy 8 9
CLYTOI (Mr. P. Cullinan) ....Doyle 8 9
MONTILLA (Col. Jameson Davis) ....Arnott 8 9
ALICE QUICKTHORN (Col. Honner) Hunter 8 9
FUSEE VOLANTE (Gen. Sir C. Kavanagh)
Redmond 8 9
EXILE OF ERIN (Mr. L. King) ....Owner 8 9
BACHELOR'S SKETCH (Mr. A. Lowry)
Dawson 8 9
STAMNOS (Mr. A. McCann) ....Reidy 8 9
PEARLAMOR (Mr. McDonogh) ....Owner 8 9
AUGHAVANAGH (Mr. Mallick) ....Hunter 8 9
PETITE JULIETTE (Major Molony) ....Owner 8 9
LASS MOR (Mr. Parkinson) ....Owner 8 9
LOOK-IN (Mr. Parrish) ....Rogers 8 9
RAPSCALLION (Mr. Perry) ....Owner 8 9
RHODE ISLAND (Mr. D. J. Power) ....Doyle 8 9
PRIDE OF KILCASH (Mr. Purcell) ....Owner 8 9
NEWBROOK (Mr. P. W. Shaw) ....Fetherston 8 9

4.10—MADDENSTOWN PLATE of 300 sovs. A welter handicap. 1 m.
Age. st. lb.
MARLIAN (Col. Croft) ....Ussher a 9 9
LATE EDITION (Mr. Tully) ....Owner 6 9 9
MADAM BEDE (Mr. Coen) ....Owner 4 9 2
GOLDEN EAGLE (Mr. Field) ....Grundy 3 8 12
ROSEY TREAD (Gen. Sir H. Singh)
Parkinson 3 8 5
DUCKETT'S GROVE (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan)
Parkinson 3 8 5
ROSES SWEET (Mr. Flynn) ....Grundy 3 8 3
FORTY-THREE (Capt. Bald) ....Hunter 4 8 3
SYMARITON (Mr. McAlinden) ....Ussher 6 8 2
BALLYFORE (Mr. C. Hope) ....Owner 6 8 0
FALLOCHY (Col. Honner) ....Behan 3 7 13
SHIELING (Mr. Wallace) ....Rankin 4 7 12
BLUE GENTIAN (Mr. I. J. Blake) Jeffery 3 7 7
GRAVEL GLASS (Lady McCalmont)
MacCabe 3 7 7

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Black Gauntlet was struck out of the Cambridgeshire Stakes at 9 a.m. yesterday.

M. Wing and T. Burns each rode two winners at the Curragh yesterday.

During an interval of racing at the Curragh yesterday Derdlim, ch. f., 3 yrs., by Tredennis—Mildred was sold to Colonel Blacker for 350 sovs.

S. Jeffery, the Heath House trainer, carried off the training honours at the Curragh yesterday, three races falling to his share by the aid of Russian Sable, Glannagalt, and Martinique.

Bachlyk, one of the two French horses remaining in the Cesarewitch, is under orders to leave for Newmarket. It is expected that Bartholomew will ride the horse in the big handicap.

LONDON BETTING—YESTERDAY.

The chief business yesterday was with respect to Golden Guinea, who advanced from 100 to 3 to 100 to 7 at the close. Backed to win a lot of money, Holbeach and Bracket closed equal favourites at tens from Blue Dun, who advanced 100 to 9. Of the rest, Phantom Bold and One went best at their quoted rates. Prices:—

THE CESAREWITCH.
(Run Wednesday, October 13. 2¼ miles.)
10 to 1 Holbeach, 4, 6-8 (t. and o.).
10 to 1 Bracket, 3, 7-5 (t. and o.).
100 to 9 Blue Dun, 3, 7-13 (t. and o.).
100 to 7 Golden Guinea, 3, 7-9 (t. and o.).
20 to 1 Kentish Cob, 4, 8-13 (t. and o.).
20 to 1 Keysoe, 4, 8-8 (t. and o.).
20 to 1 Phantom Bold, 4, 7-5 (t. and o.).
25 to 1 Eton Rambler, 4, 7-3 (t. and o.).
25 to 1 Front Line, 4, 7-0 (t. and o.).
25 to 1 Bachlyk, 6, 8-7 (t. and o.).
100 to 3 One, a, 7-0 (t. and o.).

(ADVERTISEMENT.)
DIAMOND—Change—121. Special—HGIJNY-JOYG.

FOOTBALL.

RUGBY.

LANSDOWNE.—To-day—Practice at Lansdowne, 4.30. Intending members requested to attend, and visitors invited.

OLD WESLEY.—The annual general meeting was held in Wesley College on Monday, Mr. John Brown in the chair. The minutes of the previous general meeting having been read, the Hon. Secretary and Hon. Treasurer read their reports, which were unanimously adopted. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Rev. T. J. Irwin. Committee—C. Adams, H. P. Crawford, N. A. Clarke, W. P. Hinton, C. H. Walkey, G. P. Hamlet, J. Acton. Hon. Sec.—A. J. Walkey, Trevose, Palmerston Gardens, Rathmines. Hon. Sec., 3rd XV.—A. P. Brown, 63 Grove Park. Hon. Treas.—G. F. Wolfe, 2 Le Bas terrace, Leinster road. The opening practice will take place at 3.15 p.m. on Saturday next at Donnybrook. All members and intending members are requested to attend. Visitors invited.

OLD BELVEDERE.—A general meeting will be held to-night at 8 o'clock at Belvedere College. All members and intending members invited to attend.

CLONTARF F.C.—Practice this afternoon at 5.30.

BECTIVE RANGERS F.C.—To-day, at 5 p.m., a special picked practice at Donnybrook. Senior team will be selected after practice.

RACEHORSE, 2d. SATURDAY and TUESDAY.
RACEHORSE, 2d. FOOTBALL! FOOTBALL!!
RACEHORSE, 2d. £100 must be won.
RACEHORSE, 2d. every week.
RACEHORSE, 2d. Popular Free
RACEHORSE, 2d. Football Competition.
RACEHORSE, 2d. All newsagents and bookstalls.—(Advt.)

BILLIARDS.

FALKINER v. SMITH.

At the afternoon sitting of this 16,000 up match at Newcastle between Smith and Falkiner (the latter receiving 500 start), the Yorkshireman played exceedingly well, and at intervals held a slight lead. Smith raised an unfinished 93 to 139. He also had runs of 141, 216, and 173 (unfinished). Falkiner was in great form at the top of the table, and made breaks of 151, 132, 217, 95, and 214. Interval scores:—Falkiner, 10,022; Smith, 10,002. At night Falkiner was again in better form, and drew further ahead. His chief runs were 177, 332, 127, and 110. Smith's best were 83, 62, 60, 114, and 101. Closing scores:—Falkiner, 10,910; Smith, 10,626.

CHANTICLEER'S NOTES.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

PONTEFRACT, TUESDAY NIGHT.

The Pontefract Meeting, which opens to-morrow, promises to be most successful. For the first day my selections are:—

Leeds Handicap—**Wintringham.**
Town Selling—**The Corsican.**
West Riding Autumn Handicap—**Iron Hand.**
Trial Selling—**Exford.**
Fryston Nursery—**Serpentine.**
Nostell Plate—**Oliviero.**

LEICESTER MEETING, YESTERDAY.

For the concluding stage at Leicester yesterday the fare was excellent, with a couple of £500 handicaps and the Village Nursery, of even better value, included. The attendance was very large, but there was a change in the weather, which was cold and damp. Of the fourteen runners in the Bradford Maiden Race, Arclight was a good favourite, but was beaten by two 6 to 1 chances in Beggar Girl and Clipstone, which dead-heated a length in front. The Duquesa filly easily landed the odds betted on in the Welbeck Plate, being in front throughout. In a capital finish for the Village Nursery, Flaming Sword got a head better of Capstan, after Chivalrous had been most prominent to the distance; and Hogier, one of the joint favourites, won the Leicestershire Selling Handicap very cleverly from Rocksplit, and was then sold to Sir H. Bird for 800 guineas. The Kegworth Handicap was a very interesting contest, in which Longstop was always a favourite from Willblend, but the latter made all the running, and won by a neck from Sabian, which came up quickly in the last hundred yards, and was only just beaten. In the concluding event only Crevice was found to oppose Stronghold, which, with 8 to 1 betted on, led throughout. Details:—

2.0.—BRADFORD HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP, £200. 5 f.
Mr. C. Ismay's b. f. CLIPSTONE, by Cylgad—Cascatella, 4, 8-11 ....Hulme *
Mr. H. Peel's b. f. BEGGAR GIRL, by Poor Boy—Comarnic, 4, 7-0 ....Speck *
Lord H. de Walden's ARCLIGHT, 3, 8-11 ....Jelliss 3

Also ran—Northfleet (V. Smyth), Granard (Donoghue), Desmond House (Saxby), Rose Day (Strydom), Orange Prince (Bullock), Nova (Robbins), Gipsy Queen (T. Morgan), Compliment (Spear), Christmas Trouble (Morris), Marie Therese (J. Leach), Gamelyn (Rose). *Dead heat for first place. (Clipstone trained by Hobbs, Beggar Girl by Escott.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Arclight, 5 to 1 Granard, 6 to 1 each CLIPSTONE and BEGGAR GIRL, 7 to 1 Compliment, 8 to 1 Northfleet, 100 to 8 Orange Prince, 100 to 6 any other.

A dead heat, one length.

2.30.—WELBECK (S.) PLATE, £300. For two-year-olds. 5 f.
Baron F. de Tuyll's DUQUESA F., by Charles O'Malley, 8-11 ....Donoghue 1
Mr. W. Dixon's WAR CLOTH, 9-0 ....A. Balding 2
Commander Ward's BRONY, 8-6 ....T. Morgan 3

Also ran—Mystic Flame (V. Smyth), Pat Stanley (S. Jones), Arun Bridge (Slade). (Winner trained by F. Hartigan.)

Betting—7 to 4 on DUQUESA FILLY, 3 to 1 agst. Brony, 8 to 1 Mystic Flame, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by half a length; three-parts of a length.

The winner was sold to Mr. G. D. Smith for 340 guineas.

3.0.—VILLAGE NURSERY HANDICAP, £600. 6 f.
Mrs. C. Mayor's ch. c. FLAMING SWORD, by Adam Bede—Louvence, 8-0 ....Fox 1
Mr. V. Thompson's CAPSTAN, 8-10 ....Donoghue 2
Mr. W. Dixon's HEN HARRIER, 7-9 A. Balding 3

Also ran—Scotch Jewel (Lane), Chivalrous (Hulme), Canterbury Lamb (Spear), Chummy (Whitehead), Limehintsong (Bullock), Cyiburn (Jelliss), Flixborough (Robbins), Eagleswell (Shatwell). (Winner trained by Linton.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Capstan, 100 to 30 FLAMING SWORD, 7 to 1 Canterbury Lamb, 8 to 1 Hen Harrier, 10 to 1 each Chivalrous, Chummy, and Eagleswell, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by a head; three lengths.

3.30.—LEICESTERSHIRE (S.) HANDICAP, £500. 1½ m.
Mrs. A. James's b. c. HOGIER, by Amadis—At Last, 3, 6-8 ....Wragg 1
Mr. T. Edge's ROCKSPLIT, a, 7-5 ....Speck 2
Mr. A. Law's FLYING SYMON, 6, 7-2 J. Leach 3

Also ran—Evan (Strydom), Lama of Tibet (Donoghue), Intruder (Thwaites), Dionysos (F. Morgan), Skookum Joe (Morris), Rigolo (Rose), R.D. (Flanagan), Dart Up (Weston), Blot (Crickmere), Magic Boy (A. Smyth). (Winner trained by Lambton.)

Betting—9 to 2 each agst. HOGIER and Intruder, 5 to 1 Rocksplit, 6 to 1 Dionysos, 8 to 1 each Evan and Lama of Tibet, 10 to 1 Flying Simon, 100 to 8 each Rigolo and R.D., 20 to 1 any other.

Won by three-parts of a length; half a length.

The winner was sold to Sir Henry Bird for 800 guineas.

4.0.—KEGWORTH HANDICAP, £500. 1 m.
Lord Glanely's br. g. WILLBLEND, by William Rufus—Pitch Blend, 3, 8-3 ....Hulme 1
Sir E. Hulton's SABIAN, 4, 8-3 ....Donoghue 2
Mr. F. J. Benson's MINTLEAF, 5, 8-6 .. Bullock 3

Also ran—Longstop (Hare), Marl (Spear), Callaghan (Lane), Great Joy (J. Leach), Star of Hope (Weston). (Winner trained by Platt.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Longstop, 7 to 2 WILLBLEND, 5 to 1 Callaghan, 6 to 1 each Sabian and Star of Hope, 7 to 1 each Mintleaf and Marl, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by a neck; half a length. At 800 guineas Hogier was sold to Sir Henry Bird.

4.25.—SEPTEMBER MAIDEN PLATE, £200. 1¼ m.
Mr. G. Smith's b. c. STRONGHOLD, by Stedfast—Thicket, 3, 9-4 ....Carslake 1
Lord Durham's CREVICE, 3, 8-3 ....Shatwell 2
(Winner trained by H. Sadler.)

Betting—8 to 1 on STRONGHOLD.

Won by six lengths.

PONTEFRACT MEETING—THIS DAY.

PROGRAMME

1.45—LEEDS 3-Y.O. H'CAP, £200. 1 m. 1 f.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Cannon Hall	8	3	Lambswool	7	3
Winter Voyage	7	12	Park Avenue	7	0

(The above have arrived.)

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Double Bed	9	7	Catskin	7	13
Lady Peg	9	4	Waveline	7	11
Bold Buck	9	0	Poniard	7	9
Mariana	8	9	Sunnygama	7	8
Wintringham	8	9	Artillery	7	6
Ung Je Serviray	8	8	Princess Anne	7	6
Mammon	8	6	Doctor Myram	7	6
Lady Nita	8	5	Allentown	7	6
Land Square	8	4	Killray	7	5
Bold Chap	8	4	Halfpenny House	7	4
Kennythorpe	8	2	Colinogue	7	4
Ural	8	1	Merry Thrush	7	1
Damar	8	1	George Crag	7	0
Coriopsis	8	0	Javadore	7	0

2.15—TOWN T.Y.O. (S.) PLATE, £250. 5 f.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Scotch Wisdom	8	11	Second Thoughts	8	7

(The above have arrived.)

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Boy Sim	9	0	Cinderford	8	7
The Lark	9	0	Merry Berrill	8	7
Indianola	9	0	Rope Dancer	8	7
Cosmopolitan	8	11	Diana	8	7
Reconquista	8	11	Squib g., by Romeo	8	7
Foazam	8	10			
Onslow Jarvis	8	10	St. Ada f., by Bethlehem	8	7
Galloping Slav	8	10			
The Corsican	8	10	Picotte g., by Birlingham	8	7
Wearing o' the Green c., by Marcus	8	10	Merry Child	8	7
Repetition	8	10	Winnydale	8	7

2.45—WEST RIDING AUTUMN H'CAP, £500. 1¼ m.

	Age	st.	lb.		Age	st.	lb.
Navan Lass	a	9	2	Schamyl	a	7	11
Iron Hand	4	8	5	Hanway	4	7	10
Hainton Belle	4	7	13	Poldhu	3	7	4

(The above have arrived.)

	Age	st.	lb.		Age	st.	lb.
Planet	6	9	9	Bridge of Marne	6	8	1
African Star	4	9	1				
Phantom Bold	4	8	11	Palestrina	4	7	9
Wavelinda (12lb. ex.)	a	8	11	Gaunt Boy	3	7	7
				Dialsight	3	7	7
Chaitoi	a	8	8	Mammon	3	7	2
Ramda	4	8	6	Golden Lamb	3	7	1
Dorset	4	8	3	Dart Up	4	7	0
Firework	3	8	2	Lady Nita	3	7	0
Morning Star	5	8	0				

3.15—TRIAL (S.) PLATE, £250. 6 f.

	Age	st.	lb.		Age	st.	lb.
Exford	4	9	5	Casino	5	8	4

(The above have arrived.)

	Age	st.	lb.		Age	st.	lb.
C.P.	6	9	5	Balder	3	8	7
Knight of the Air	4	9	5	Bright Shot	4	8	4
Inconstant George	a	9	5	Filago	3	8	4
				Kerry Lass	4	8	4
				Sweetheart	4	8	4
Stamford	5	9	2	The Grove	5	8	4
Sanitarium	6	9	2	Bonaise	3	8	4
Sun Lady	5	9	2	Santos	4	8	4
Loch Quoich	3	9	0	Boy Sim	2	7	9
Buzz Buzz	3	8	11	Capt. Chrimes	2	7	5
Escalator	3	8	7	Galloping Slav	2	7	5
Charlie Wise	3	8	7				

3.45—FRYSTON NURSERY H'CAP, £200. 7 f.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Warrington	7	8	Awake	7	6

(The above have arrived.)

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Carnaween	9	0	Gisbro' Lass	7	11
Bumble Bee	8	12	Lord Jim	7	11
Dorothy Martin g., by The White Knight	8	8	Spring	7	11
			Carnforth	7	9
			Radnor	7	9
Serpentine	8	7	Crescent Moon	7	8
Colby	8	7	Stormfruit	7	8
Will Scarlet	8	6	Coronette	7	7
Mirshel	8	3	Chopstick	7	7
Gold Flake	8	2	Hail Columbia	7	7
Meg Merrilies	8	2	Eagleswell	7	7
Manly Boy	8	2	Foazam	7	7
Bambinetta	8	2	Sunette	7	6
White Ant	8	2	Grand Prix	7	6
Cameleon	8	1	Abra c., by China Cock	7	3
Ila's Fancy	8	0	Royal Emerald	7	0
Blanchette f., by William Rufus	7	11			

4.15—NOSTELL PLATE, £200. 1¼ m.

	Age	st.	lb.		Age	st.	lb.
Oliviero	3	8	0	Rochetta	3	7	11
Lambswool	3	8	0	Joy Darling	3	7	11

(The above have arrived.)

	Age	st.	lb.		Age	st.	lb.
Wing Commander	3	8	11	Joby	6	8	4
Marriage Gift	4	8	11	Arlington	3	8	0
Witton	3	8	4	Balthazar	3	8	0
Sword Lily	3	8	4	Magic Note	3	8	0
Lady of Victories	3	8	4	Condor	3	8	0
				Bollinger	3	7	11
				Blackwell	3	7	11

ARRIVALS.—Auramine, Awake, Bright News, Bredenbury, Brilliant Sunshine, Burley, Brian, Crescent Moon, Casino, Cannon Hall, Eckfield, Finalist, Golden Lamb, Hanway, Hainton Belle, Joy Darling, Lambswool, Morning Star, Merry Berrill, Montgrennan, Malton Lass, Navan Lass, Oliviero, Palestrina, Poinard, Poldhu, Park Avenue, Rochetta, Sweet Lyra, Second Thoughts, Schamyl, Santos, Scotch Wisdom, Ucello, Warrington, Winter Voyage.

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING.

CLONMEL INTER-SCHOOL SPORTS.

Inter-school sports, introduced as an annual meeting to foster athletics in the schools, were held at Clonmel. Clonmel High School won the Championship Cup with a score of 43 points, and a pupil of the same school won the individual prize.

The Bamberger perjury trial at the Old Bailey, London, yesterday, was again adjourned after evidence had been called as to the accused and Lieutenant Steyn staying together at the London flat, after a short interval had elapsed from the departure of Symonds, and also at Eastbourne.

THE PRICE OF PETROL.

REASONS FOR THE INCREASE.

In an interview yesterday with a representative of the Press Association, Mr. Francis E. Powell, the Chairman of the Anglo-American Oil Company, explained the reasons and the justification for the recent jump in the price of petrol. Between 60 and 65 per cent. of the motor spirit consumed in Great Britain, he said, came from America. Since the beginning of the current year the cost of crude oil in the United States, which regulates the price of motor spirit at the refinery, and, therefore, determines the export price, had advanced from 55 per cent. to 100 per cent., according to the grade supplied. The effects of this advance were now being felt. The cost of buying petrol in America and transporting and distributing it here had advanced since the beginning of the year by 7.27d. per gallon. Yet the price of petrol was only advanced on September 1st by 7d. per gallon. It follows that an importing company like his own was not making the same percentage of profits after the increase as it had been making before it. He had seen it stated that America was deliberately restricting her exports of oil so as to cheapen the price to her own people, much as Great Britain was restricting the export of coal. That was an entire delusion. They were importing into this country to-day far more motor spirit from America than ever before, and during the past week they had touched a record figure. High prices had stimulated production in the United States, and this year's output might easily be 50,000,000 barrels above the 1919 output. Provided that they were able to pay the price for it in competition with American consumers and with the other buyers in the world's market, he saw no reason why there should be any shortage of petrol in this country or any check to the development of the British motor industry. The Englishman insisted on having the finest motor spirit. The price came high, but it is not nearly so high as elsewhere. In France, for instance, a less satisfactory grade of petrol than their No. 3 was selling at 5s. 8d. per gallon, as compared with the British price of 4s. 3½d. for a better spirit.

COURTS-MARTIAL IN DUBLIN.

ALLEGED POSSESSION OF FIREARMS.

A district courtmartial assembled at Marlborough Barracks, Dublin, yesterday, for the trial of Daniel McArt, 10 Newfoundland street, Dublin, who was charged with being in possession of a revolver and six rounds of .45 ammunition, contrary to regulations made under the Defence of the Realm Act.

Accused declined to plead, and a plea of "not guilty" was entered.

A military officer said, in evidence, that he visited the house of the accused in the early morning of 11th September. The revolver and ammunition (produced) were found between the mattresses of a bed. Accused remarked—"You need not search any more. You have got it."

Corroborative evidence was given.

The accused made no statement in his defence, and the Court closed. The finding will be promulgated in due course.

Christopher and Joseph O'Hegarty, both of 5 Wentworth place, were charged with being in possession of a rifle.

A military officer said that he found the rifle tied to a board and hanging in a chimney.

The accused men questioned the witness as to the identity of a second officer who took part in the search. The witness said that he did not know who this second officer was. Both the accused commented on the inability of the witness to say who the man was who took such a prominent part in the search.

A corporal said that he shone a light up the chimney when directed by the officer, and found the rifle tied to a board.

The accused made no statement, and the Court closed. The finding will be promulgated.

Richard Taylor and Phillip Coleman, both residing at Swords, Co. Dublin, were charged with being in possession of firearms.

A military officer said that he was on duty about half-past eleven on the night of the 9th September in Swords. He stopped the two accused, who were cycling, and questioned them. Not being satisfied with the replies he received, he searched one of the men and another officer searched the other. One man had a double-barrelled, breach-loading shot gun in his possession, and the other a muzzle-loading shot gun. The guns were inside the men's trousers.

No further evidence was offered, and the Court closed. The decision will be promulgated.

SEQUEL TO SEARCH AT KILLINEY.

A second district courtmartial assembled at Marlborough Barracks yesterday for the trial of Thomas J. Meldon, Lower Gardiner street, Dublin, who was charged with being in possession of a document, containing statements, the publication of which would be likely to prejudice the administration of the Royal Irish Constabulary. A further charge was in reference to a document purporting to relate to the affairs of the Irish Volunteers.

A military officer said that he visited a camp at Killiney on the night of the 3rd September with a party of soldiers. In consequence of a report made to him he searched a bed of nettles near one of the tents, and found a despatch case containing the documents produced. One of them was entitled, "Introduction to Volunteer Training." Meldon at first denied ownership, but later admitted that the case and the contents belonged to him.

The accused said that all the papers mentioned were not in the case.

The witness admitted that he could not positively identify one of the documents as being amongst those in the case. The documents were transferred to another bag, and were not checked at the time.

The Prosecutor stated that the evidence of identification of the documents was not sufficient to maintain the case. He had no further evidence as to the contents of the despatch bag.

The Court found the accused not guilty, and he was discharged.

THE CLOSING OF THE ENNISKILLEN RAILWAY.

PROPOSED MOTOR SERVICE TO COOTEHILL.

Our Newbliss Correspondent telegraphs:—Owing to the discontinued railway and postal services, the Cootehill Urban Council have held a meeting, at which the principal traders of the town and others were present. A deputation was appointed to attend a meeting of the Dundalk Chamber of Commerce, with a view to arranging for a motor service for the conveyance of goods from Dundalk to Cootehill, and, on the return journey, market produce from Cootehill.

It has been decided to ask the Post Office authorities to hand over the mails to a responsible source for distribution.

ATHLONE TO BALLINA MOTOR SERVICE.

Our Athlone Correspondent telegraphs:—Owing to the suspension of traffic on the Athlone to Mayo branch line a Dublin firm has established a motor transport service from Athlone to Ballina to supplement the service already provided by local effort.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Reuter's Agency learns that, according to official telegrams from India, about twelve hundred Muhajarin returned from Afghanistan during the week ending September 11. Letters from Muhajarin, in Afghanistan, Turkestan, state that they are in great straits. All is quiet in Mohmand and Bajaur, and the talk of a jehad has now ceased. An engagement occurred between the Constabulary and some Waziri raiders on September 11 near Draban, in which the former lost five killed, fourteen missing, and thirty-five rifles. A relief column will leave Nowaheba on September 15. On the Hazara border the situation is normal. Negotiations with the tribes are proceeding. Our troops have not yet withdrawn from Oghi.

KING OF THE BELGIANS IN BRAZIL.

In a message dated Rio de Janeiro, Tuesday, Reuter's Correspondent says:—This afternoon the King of the Belgians visited the Parliament. At night a banquet was given at the Palace. Senhor Pessoa proposed the toast of the King in a speech in which he declared that at the most tragic moment in history the King appeared a radiant figure, above the blazing horizons of Europe, as the very personification of loyalty and honour.

In reply, the King of the Belgians said that Belgium did not forget the assistance which Brazil rendered during the war, and the economic help which she had given since. Faithful in her friendships, Belgium desired once more to give evidences of her spirit of constancy.

PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

LOUTH COUNTY COUNCIL.—At a special meeting of the Louth County Council on Monday night it was decided to refuse to submit the Council's books to auditors of the Local Government Board. The officials were also directed not to have any further communication with the Local Government Board.

WARRENPOINT COUNCIL AND GRANTS.—At the meeting of Warrenpoint Urban Council on Monday night it was decided to ask the Chief Secretary if, in the event of the Council refusing to give the assurances demanded in regard to grants, they would be refused, seeing that the Council had not passed any resolutions in favour of Dail Eireann and had decided to carry on as in the past.

ARVAGH PARISH CHURCH.—A special service was held at the parish church at Arvagh, Co. Cavan, recently for the dedication of a brass memorial tablet to those connected with the parish who fell in the war. The Bishop of Kilmore officiated, and preached an instructive sermon, based on St. John xii., 25: "He that loveth his life shall lose it, and he that hateth his life in this world shall keep it unto life eternal." The following clergy assisted at the service:—Rev. R. D. O. Martin, Rev. W. McDougall, Rev. J. Graham, and the Rev. George Ingham.

LEIGHLIN DIOCESAN SYNOD.

CONGRATULATIONS TO NEW ARCHBISHOP.

INCREASE OF CLERICAL INCOMES.

STATE OF THE COUNTRY.

The annual meeting of the Leighlin Diocesan Synod was held in the Club House, Carlow, yesterday, the Right Rev. Dr. Gregg, Bishop of the Diocese and Archbishop-Elect of Dublin, presiding. There was a good attendance of both clerical and lay members.

CONGRATULATIONS.

Right Hon. Walter Kavanagh proposed a resolution offering Dr. Gregg sincere congratulations on his elevation to the Archbishopric of Dublin, although regretting the loss to the diocese by his promotion, and wishing him success in his new office. He said that they were very sorry that the Bishop was leaving them, but they did not grudge the appointment to him for one moment. The Irish Church had called him to that position, the second highest that she had to offer to anyone; it was right that he should go, and they were proud of his success. (Hear, hear.) They were also glad that their united diocese was maintaining its extraordinary record of the last twenty years, because in the last four bishops of that diocese, including Dr. Gregg, two had become Primate of All Ireland and three Archbishop of Dublin, including Dr. D'Arcy, who occupied both positions. That was an extraordinary record for any diocese to hold, and he thought they were justly proud of it. Following such men as the late Dr. Crozier, Dr. D'Arcy, and Dr. Bernard, he (Dr. Gregg) had a hard task in front of him; but there was only one opinion, both in the united dioceses and in the whole Church of Ireland—that he maintained to its fullest extent the high standard that was handed over to him by his predecessors and maintained it with dignity and ability. (Applause.) He hoped Dr. Gregg would carry away with him some pleasant recollections of his stay with them, even as he was taking with him to Dublin the hearty good wishes of his Church population in that diocese. In taking leave of him that day, they could only offer best wishes for his success and happiness in his new appointment. (Applause.)

Mr. H. Bruen seconded the motion, and, in endorsing all that the previous speaker had said, remarked that there were great reforms imminent in the Church in that diocese, including the matter of amalgamation, and they would miss the Bishop's lead in the changes they would probably be called upon to initiate. (Hear, hear.) While regretting the loss they sustained by Dr. Gregg's removal to Dublin, they wished him success in his new sphere. (Applause.)

The Dean of Leighlin, on behalf of the clergy, associated himself with the resolution, which was heartily passed.

The President, in reply, said that it was a matter of the deepest regret to leave Ossory, Ferns, and Leighlin just at a time when reforms which he had been deeply and keenly interested in were about to come to fruition. He had looked forward to helping them in regard to the framing of their new schemes there and in the other dioceses, but it was not to be. Any man would feel honoured at being asked to hold the great position of Archbishop, and he could assure them, as he faced it in these anxious days, he really trembled. Nobody knew what was going to happen, and under any circumstances the position of Archbishop was one involving tremendous work and very grave responsibility. He had had very great encouragement from people in that diocese and outside it, and it did help one enormously to feel that people thought kindly of one and hoped sympathetically for one. Concluding, he said that people sometimes spoke about the Church failing. Could a Church fail that brought up such men as they had to deal with? No, the Church had not failed; the Church was a living concern, and he thanked God for the vitality of it. (Applause.)

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

The President then, addressing the Synod, referred in sympathetic terms to the death of Colonel Cosby, Stradbally Hall; Mr. J. Otway Johnson, Fenagh Parish; Canon Burnett and Rev. Mr. Tilson, Maryborough, and, proceeding, said that he regretted very much to think that that was the last occasion on which he should preside over that Synod as its Bishop. He thanked them for all the kindness and courtesy he had experienced from all, and for the unvarying readiness to help which had always been displayed whenever there was anything to be done. The Diocese of Leighlin, with its two sister dioceses, was about to embark upon a programme of reconstruction, and he was very sorry that it would not be his lot to take part in their deliberations. But he looked forward to the result without any doubts as to the issue. Leighlin finances after fifty years of disestablishment stood on a solid foundation, and Leighlin Diocese had men of exactly the same calibre to work for it to-day as the men whose prudence and wisdom conserved the share that came to it from the capitalisation of the life interests of the clergy serving fifty years ago. The problem to-day was a different one from the problem of 1870. In 1870 it was a question of conserving capital which represented life interests, and which might be drawn upon to meet the claims of the annuitants; to-day there was no question of trenching upon capital, but it was a question of supplementing the interest upon the capital they had with annual subscriptions which should supply a living wage for the clergy. Except in the case of landlords completing the sale of their estates, the day for capital gifts was largely gone. To-day the need was for annual payments—annual subscriptions from men who, for the most part, could not put down capital, but who were making their money from the land or from some other industry year by year.

A REVOLUTION.

The Church of Ireland was experiencing a revolution—a silent, a peaceful, but a real revolution. The landed classes of fifty years ago were giving way to holders of smaller areas of land, and the men who gave big subscriptions forty years ago, and did a great deal in many cases to finance the parishes they lived in—the representatives of many of these had left the country, while many of those of them who remained could no longer give on the scale of earlier days. And so it fell to those who held the land to-day to support their Church instead of looking to others to support it for them. The efforts made in that diocese brought in additional contributions to clerical sustentation last year of about £1,150. That was a beginning, and all to the good, but it was only a beginning. It was the preparation for a system of permanently raised assessments in every parish which would bring in clerical stipends more fairly proportioned to the present cost of living than the stipends so far received. He appealed for justice in the matter. The exceeding bitter cry from many a clerical household was going to find one answer in their special General Synod in November, when legislation would, he hoped, be passed to make impossible, where separate parishes were not imperatively demanded, the continued separate existence of parishes which might pay a living wage, but did not. Of the clerical stipends paid last year through the Representative Church Body, amounting to somewhere about £350,000, only £102,000 came by way of subscriptions. In other words, of every £1 that the clergy throughout the country received, the laity gave about 5s. 9d., and the invested funds in the hands of the Representative Church Body gave about 14s. 3d. Accordingly, if the clergy were to get proper stipends, either there must be fewer of them—and the process of reducing the number might, in his view, easily be carried too far—or there must be larger payments from the parishes. In conclusion, he asked them all to increase their sustentation subscriptions, not merely by giving two pounds instead of one, but by giving liberally, and with a real understanding that the maintenance of the Church would be in the future with the farmers, and not with the landlords. (Applause.)

On the motion of Sir Algernon Coote, Bart., seconded by Colonel Sir Hutcheson Poë, Sir Hunt Walsh was elected diocesan trustee, in room of the late Colonel Cosby.

CONDOLENCE.

Sir Hunt Walsh moved a resolution expressing a deep sense of the loss they had sustained by the death of Colonel Cosby, who had been a member of the Synod since the disestablishment, and who during all those years was a loyal and generous supporter of the Church, and offering sincere sympathy to Captain Cosby and the other members of the family in their sad bereavement.

Rev. Canon Stuart, M.A., seconded the motion, which was supported by Mr. G. G. Neill, and passed in silence.

DIOCESAN COUNCIL'S REPORT.

Right Hon. Walter Kavanagh moved the adoption of the report of the Diocesan Council, and pointed out that the payments to ordinary assessments had been well maintained. The capital had been increased by over £1,400, principally from bequests to parishes, which came under the heading of parochial endowments. Although their capital was increased, their income was not so. They had got to try and increase the stipends of the clergy and enlarge the area of their ministry, and so provide them with a greater occupation and, therefore, with some interest in their lives.

PLEA FOR IRISH SETTLEMENT.

Colonel Sir Hutcheson Poë, in seconding the motion, said that, while he had no desire, much less any intention, of introducing politics, he thought it would be mere affectation to deny the right, he would almost say the duty, of that meeting, or, indeed, of any public meeting of Irishmen, to express its opinion on the events by which they were surrounded. The future of their Church, as, indeed, that of any other religious denomination, was so intimately bound up with the fortunes of their country that they must all view with equal concern and anxiety the daily course of events and the tragic consequences which must sooner or later ensue unless some settlement of the political differences and difficulties which unhappily divided Irishmen was not speedily forthcoming. Hitherto most men of their faith had by environment, by hereditary tradition, by training and education, and, perhaps, even more by the selfish policy which England had pursued in encouraging and fostering for her own ends political differences between Irishmen been more or less driven into opposing camps on the long-disputed question of Home Rule and all that that question involved, with the result that things had now reached such a point that it was admitted on all sides that the existing terms of union with the United Kingdom must be very largely modified in the direction of national aspirations and desires. In spite of all appearances to the contrary, he believed that, whatever their political views might be, the vast majority of Irishmen were animated by kindly feelings and good-will towards each other, and that they desired nothing better than to be allowed to work out their own salvation together in friendly rivalry and co-operation. He felt convinced that if only the men of their religious persuasion in the three Southern provinces would come boldly forward and proclaim themselves in favour of the fullest measure of self-government that was compatible with the integrity of the United Kingdom and the Empire, such a settlement would be accepted by the great majority of their fellow-countrymen, including those who for the moment appeared the most irreconcilable. So confident did he feel on this point that he most earnestly begged that every influence possible should be exercised in the direction he suggested. (Applause.)

The report was adopted, as also were the reports of the Board of Education, Board of Missions, and Temperance Society.

THE ELECTIONS.

The following are the results of the elections:

DIOCESAN COUNCIL.

Clerical—Rev. Canon Stuart, Rev. G. Jameson, Rev. E. Nevill, Rev. S. Ridgeway, Canon Brandon, Canon Berry, Rev. W. Willis, Rev. J. Trotter. Supplemental—Rev. T. Pettipice and Rev. E. Bradshaw.

Lay—Sir H. Poë, Right Hon. W. Kavanagh, Sir H. Walsh, Sir A. Coote, Lord Rathdonnell, Captain Thomas, Major Alexander, E. W. Burke, W. Fitzmaurice, Colonel Browne-Clayton, H. Turpin, and Colonel Folliott. Supplemental—W. G. Despard and Sir R. Butler.

DIOCESAN BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Clerical—The Archdeacon, Canon Stuart, Rev. E. Nevill, Rev. T. Pettipice, Rev. J. Becher, Canon Barry, the Dean, Rev. G. Jameson. Supplemental—Rev. A. C. Nevill and Rev. S. Ridgeway.

Lay—Sir H. Coote, Sir H. Walsh, Right Hon. W. Kavanagh, H. Bruen, Lord Rathdonnell, W. Fitzmaurice, D. R. Pack-Beresford, Colonel Browne-Clayton. Supplemental—Colonel Sir H. Poë and H. Turpin.

INCORPORATED BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Clerical—Rev. Canon Stuart, Rev. Canon Barry, Rev. J. Becher, and Rev. S. Ridgeway. Supplemental—Rev. E. Nevill and the Archdeacon.

Lay—Right Hon. W. Kavanagh, Sir H. Walsh, Sir A. Coote, W. Fitzmaurice, J. Neale, and Captain J. H. W. Thomas. Supplemental—H. Bruen, Lord Rathdonnell, W. G. Despard, and Colonel Browne-Clayton.

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate or assets of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 11th June, 1920, are hereby required, on or before the 20th day of October, 1920, to furnish in writing the particulars of such claims or demands to the under-mentioned Solicitors for the Executrix of Deceased, to whom Probate was granted on the 31st day of August, 1920, and in default thereof Deceased's estate will be distributed, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall have been furnished.
Dated this 20th day of September, 1920.
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SIRS.—TAKE NOTICE that I, MARY JOSEPHINE DAVY, of 18 Palmerston road, Rathmines, in the County of Dublin, Widow, do intend to apply at the next General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the County of Dublin, for Confirmation of a Transfer of 7 Day Licence to Sell Beer, Cider, and Spirituous Liquors by Retail, at and in the Houses 42 and 44 Upper Baggot street, in the Parish of St. Peter's, in the Township of Pembroke, and County of Dublin.
Dated this 15th day of September, 1920.
MARY JOSEPHINE DAVY.
To the Magistrates of the County of Dublin;
The Superintendent of the Dublin Metropolitan Police, E Division;
The Clerk of the Peace.
THOMAS G. QUIRKE, Solicitor for Applicant, 15 South Frederick street, Dublin.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
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I, HUGH PETITT, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply at the next Annual Licensing Quarter Sessions of the Peace, to be held at Birr, in the County of King's, on the 5th day of October, 1920, for liberty to obtain a Confirmation of a Transfer of Licence, for the Sale of Wine, Spirits, Beer, Porter, and Cider, by retail, at and in my house where I now reside, situate at Ballyboy, in the Parish of Ballyboy, Townland of Ballyboy, Barony of Ballyboy and King's County, the said application being by way of transfer from Michael Petitt, deceased, hereto entitled in respect of said premises, and whose interest in the licence and concern is now vested in me.
Dated this 20th day of September, 1920.
HUGH PETITT, Applicant.
To Daniel Mollor, Esq., J.P., Gortacur, Mountbolus.
James Morgan, Esq., J.P., Glebe, Killoughy.
District Inspector, R.I.C., Birr.
John Fagan, Esq., J.P., Clerk Crown and Peace, Tullamore.
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NOTICE.
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The number of deliveries during this period amount to approximately 40,000, and it will therefore be obvious that the calculations of the amount due to each individual grower, and the clerical work entailed prior to the actual distribution, will take a considerable time; it is therefore NOT PROBABLE THAT THE DISTRIBUTION CAN COMMENCE BEFORE 1st DECEMBER, 1920.
The Flax Supplies Committee's Records are sufficient for all particulars required in connection with the distribution of the Fund, and it will therefore not be necessary for any Grower to give further intimation of his Claim.
All those who are entitled to participate in the Fund will in due course receive notification and payment.
R. GARRETT CAMPBELL,
J. R. CAMPBELL,
Treasurers of the Additional Payment Fund.
Belfast, 18th September, 1920.

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Hippodrome, 6.45 and 8.50 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"Daddalums," 2.30 and 7.45 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Arrah-Na-Pogue," 6.30 and 8.30.
Empire Theatre—6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"A Royal Alliance" and "The Bribe," 8.15 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—Pictures, etc., 3 to 10.30 p.m.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—Continuous.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—Continuous.
Pillar Picture House—Continuous.
Kingstown Pavilion—Pictures, 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
Dublin Board of Guardians, 3 p.m.
Vacation Law Sittings.
Royal Irish Academy of Music, 4.30 p.m.
Sale of Cattle—Prussia Street.

BIRR LAND SCHEME FOR EX-SOLDIERS.

A Local Government Board Inspector has interviewed Birr landowners with reference to a scheme to build 40 houses, with acre allotments, for ex-Service men.

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The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1920.

A War Office report issued last night shows that order is being gradually restored in Mesopotamia.—(P. 5.)

In view of the threat that the New York Custom House would be blown up at 2 o'clock yesterday strong guards were placed about the building. No attempt was made to destroy it.—(P. 5.)

M. Deschanel's letter of resignation was read to the French Senate and Chamber yesterday.—(P. 5.)

It is regarded as virtually certain that M. Millerand will have no substantial opposition in his candidature for the French Presidency.—(P. 5.)

At the meeting of the miners' delegates yesterday in London the strike programme was endorsed.—(P. 5.)

The hearing of the charges in connection with the alleged substitution of Shining More for Silver Badge at Cheltenham Races was continued at the Old Bailey yesterday.—(P. 3.)

The Competent Military Authority for the Dublin area has cancelled all permits for arms, ammunition, and explosives.—(P. 4.)

At a meeting in Dublin yesterday, which was representative of all creeds and classes, it was decided to open a fund for the expelled Belfast workers.—(P. 5 and 6.)

In Dublin yesterday five inquests in connection with the recent shootings in the city and at Kilmashogue were adjourned owing to an insufficient attendance of jurors.—(P. 5.)

Head Constable Burke was shot dead in Balbriggan on Monday night. Subsequently serious disturbance took place and two civilians were killed. Many houses and a factory were burned.—(P. 5.)

Searches for arms and arrests were made in Tyrone, Roscommon, and Tipperary during the past few days.—(P. 5.)

Constable O'Donoghue, who was fired on and wounded near Abbeyfeale (County Limerick) on Monday morning, died at the military hospital, Limerick, on Monday night.—(P. 5.)

Two civilians were shot dead near Abbeyfeale (County Limerick) on Monday. They were called upon to halt, but endeavoured to escape and were fired on.—(P. 5.)

Sergeant Maguire, R.I.C., who was one of a party searching for arms in Shannonbridge (King's County), was fired on yesterday and seriously wounded.—(P. 5.)

Mails were yesterday seized by armed men in Ferbane (County Westmeath) and Kells (County Meath).—(P. 5.)

A verdict exonerating the military from blame was returned at an inquest in Belfast yesterday on John Toner, a shipyard worker, who was shot during "Curfew" hours.—(P. 4.)

Serious outbreaks by uniformed men are stated to have occurred in Galway on Monday night, when houses were fired into and looted.—(P. 5.)

A number of business establishments in Carrick-on-Shannon were visited by disguised uniformed men on Monday night. Shop assistants were taken into the street and roughly handled. Shots were fired into houses.—(P. 5.)

At the meeting of the Leighlin Diocesan Synod in Carlow yesterday, congratulations were extended to the Right Reverend Dr. Gregg, Bishop of the Diocese, on his appointment to the Archbishopric of Dublin.—(P. 3.)

At the Curragh yesterday Captain Charles Moore's Russian Sable won the Anglesey Stakes.—(P. 3.)

In London yesterday the Stock Markets were quietly steady, in spite of the growing fear of a coal strike. Loans were urgently wanted at 5½ per cent., but discount rates were quiet. In Dublin local stocks and shares were all weaker.—(P. 7.)

Dublin and Belfast.

The fund which was opened yesterday in the Dublin Mansion House for the relief of the distressed workers of North-East Ulster has our hearty support. The Belfast disorders were the result of political passions and have roused new passions; and it was not to be expected that these would be wholly absent from yesterday's meeting. Fortunately, they were not allowed to dominate it. If the meeting had resolved itself into an attack on Northern Unionism—if the fund had been proposed merely as a point for the spear of party hatred—all the good intentions of the Peace Conference Committee would have been frustrated. The moderate men of all sections would have been disheartened and might have refused to subsidise controversy under the disguise of charity. We believe, however, that this danger has been averted by the wise guidance of the Lord Mayor of Dublin and by the good example of most of the speakers who followed him. As the Lord Mayor said, the purpose of the meeting was not the creation, but the discouragement, of bitterness. The broad basis of the Committee's appeal is the fact that acute distress exists in Belfast, and in Lisburn and other Northern towns. Thousands of persons, including many women and girls, have lost their employment. Hundreds have lost their homes, and all face the coming winter with every prospect of dire hardship. Among the sufferers are men—it is said, to the number of a thousand—who fought bravely for the homes of France and Belgium in the late war. All these people—certainly the vast majority of them—are innocent of any offence, and all of them are our fellow-countrymen. That is the case for the fund, and it needs no reinforcement. If it is right that we should minister to the relief of sufferers in foreign lands, it is a still more urgent duty that we should minister to our own. Charity begins at home; "home" is Ireland, and the day when Belfast will cease to be a part of Ireland will never come. We hope that the whole South and West will conspire to make this fund a great success, and that Unionist and *Sinn Feiner* will vie with one another in supporting it. We make the appeal with special confidence to our own readers, to whom no good and merciful cause ever has appealed in vain. Large funds will be needed, for the distress is urgent and widespread.

Can we not make of this fund a peace-offering—a proposal of amnesty—from South to North? The mere notion of such a possibility must make the hearts of all true Irishmen beat faster. The policy of hatred and recrimination has been a dismal failure. Every blow that North has dealt to South or South to North has wounded not only the stricken, but the striker. Can we not try charity for a change—charity in St. Paul's wide and noble sense of the word? Charity covers a multitude of sins, and, indeed, a multitude of sins needs to be covered in the present instance. Charity sees both sides of every case, and there are two sides to the case of the Belfast disorders. Southern toleration hates the harshness which drove so many workers from their homes in Belfast and Lisburn. Northern loyalty hates the crimes that have stained the South and West with blood. Moral apathy is an excess of toleration, bigotry is an excess of loyalty—*corruptio optimi pessima*. If the new fund can bring North and South together, and help them to search their own consciences and to appreciate each other's points of view, its benefits will be national in the widest measure. Dr. McWalter said yesterday, in the course of an admirable speech, that the fund should be so conducted as to create a public sentiment which would enable the expelled workers to recover their homes and employment. The best way to create such a sentiment is to make the fund a real overture of peace. It must strive to undo the horrid work of crime and reprisal. The Northern expulsions are due to no act of the employers, who are most anxious for a friendly settlement. They are due to a wave of popular passion against which the Belfast employers were as powerless as decent Southern feeling has been against the campaign of murder. The only cure lies in the growth of a national opinion which will stop both Southern crime and Northern reprisal. If the fund can help to foster that opinion—if it brings not merely relief to distressed workers, but an armistice to a tortured country—it will be fruitful of blessing alike for him that gives and him that takes.

Will any sane Irishman deny that the need for such an armistice is both bitter and urgent? While we are flying at one another's throats the whole fabric of ordered life is tumbling about our ears. The law has ceased to exist, and has been replaced by the rule of violence. Crime provokes reprisal on an ever ascending scale, and the passions which the reign of anarchy has unloosed threaten to become utterly uncontrollable. We print to-day the shocking story of the murder of a head constable at Balbriggan and of the resulting outbreak which took two other lives and wrought havoc in the little town. How will the Government deal with this terrible outbreak, and where will all these things end? What must happen to the trade and commerce of a land whose fields are tilled under the fear of death, whose railways are being closed down, whose workers are driven from their homes, which is divided against itself by an insensate boycott? The answer has an equal interest for Northern Unionist and Southern *Sinn Feiner*, and it must come, jointly, from their own mouths. An immediate truce is as necessary to Ireland's very existence now as the truce of November, 1918, was necessary to the very existence of the German Armies. Murder must cease; reprisals, from whatever quarter and in whatever province, must cease. Responsible Irishmen of all parties must unite to drag their country back from the edge of the abyss. A message of good-will from South to North at this time and a generous and practical response from North to South would put new courage into thousands of despairing hearts, and would help to create a public sentiment that no leader of any party could venture to defy. Our earnest hope is that the fund which was opened yesterday will achieve simultaneously the re-employment of all the banished workers and the removal of the Southern boycott of Belfast.

The Coal Crisis.

After the failure of the miners' conference with Sir Robert Horne on Monday the result of their meeting yesterday became a foregone conclusion. Mr. Smillie and the members of his Executive reported the progress of the negotiations to a full delegate session of the Miners' Federation, and the proposals which he had made to the Government were endorsed. He told the Federation that, in the view of the Executive, nothing had emerged from the conversations with Sir Robert Horne which could prevent a strike. Therefore, unless some god descends from the machine at the last moment, work will stop at all the British collieries on Saturday. Simultaneously with the miners, the other two bodies which belong to the Triple Alliance—the railwaymen and transport workers—met yesterday to consider the situation. The railwaymen remained in session until nearly six o'clock, and Mr. J. H. Thomas, M.P., who presided at their meeting, refused to make a statement when it closed. The transport workers, however, were more communicative. They passed two resolutions, one of which expressed their approval of the "rights and justice" of the miners' claim, and the other authorised the summoning of a special council meeting "to report and recommend any action they may deem advisable." To-day the Triple Alliance will meet in the Holborn Hall, where, presumably, the final decision will be taken. The dispute between the miners and the Government has been narrowed down to a very simple matter. The miners demand an increase in wages forthwith; the Government is willing to grant it to them only after inquiry into their claim and the establishment of a tribunal to investigate the problems of output. The political demand about the price of coal has been side-tracked, and no longer plays any part in the dispute. The question which the partners of the Triple Alliance, therefore, must decide to-day is whether or not they will plunge the country into a general strike in order to secure the additional 2s. *per* day for the miners. Surely a general strike was never contemplated on such a flimsy pretext. By their refusal to submit their wages claim to an impartial tribunal the miners have put themselves hopelessly in the wrong. If their claim be sound, they need have no fear of allowing it to be investigated. If it be unsound, they never should have made it. We refuse to believe that the railwaymen and transport workers will declare a general strike in support of the miners. Mr. Thomas is definitely opposed to such action, and many of the responsible transport workers agree with him. Nevertheless, the danger of the coal strike alone is terribly real. Only three days remain before the miners' notices expire. In the light of their resolutions yesterday the public has not much to hope from the transport workers. On the conduct of the railwaymen—and particularly of Mr. J. H. Thomas—to-day the issue probably will depend.

Irish Crops.

The Department of Agriculture's report on the Irish crops makes gloomy reading. In virtually every case the heavy rains which fell in early spring and mid-summer had a most harmful effect. The potato crop has suffered very severely. It was impossible to plant the seed until late in the season, and, owing to the excessive rains in July, the dreaded "blight" developed rapidly in many parts of the country. The reports from all the counties indicate that the yield will be below the average both in bulk and in quality. The other root crops have suffered also, but in their case there is still room for hope of improvement. So far as cereals are concerned, winter wheat promises a fairly good yield, but in every quarter spring wheat was disappointing. Barley seems to have been the most successful of all the crops, and the hay crop, despite the difficulties by which hay-making was attended, was not unsatisfactory. Reports from Ulster state that the flax crop is "very variable." Some fields are described as "very good" and others as "not worth pulling." In the South and West the fates seem to have been kinder. In County Cork, for instance, a marked improvement in the flax is reported, and in County Mayo, where the area devoted to flax is double what it was last year, the crop is said to be "a great success." It is to be hoped that these expectations will be fulfilled and that the farmers in the South and West will be encouraged to pay greater attention to the cultivation of flax than they have done in the past. No crop holds out greater possibilities of large profits.

The Richmond Asylum.

An announcement which appears in our advertisement columns to-day should make the Dublin Corporation pause and consider the position which its defiance of the Local Government Board has created. The Committee of the Richmond Asylum is faced with a deficit of £42,000. In the circumstances it has adopted the only possible course: it has resolved to cut its coat according to its cloth. There are 3,281 patients in the asylum, and all who are considered to be "neither dangerous to themselves nor the general community" will be discharged unless their friends arrange to contribute to the cost of their maintenance. According to the Committee, contributions towards the cost of maintenance are made in less than 328 cases. We are convinced that, in the vast majority of cases, the friends easily could provide a considerable part of the sum needed by the Committee. We cannot help feeling that, in this matter, the Committee has been too lax. Before a patient is admitted to the asylum his circumstances should be investigated, and a definite arrangement should be made for payment when his friends are in comfortable position. The ratepayer has a broad back, but he should not be asked to carry unnecessary loads. If the friends of the patients do not make an immediate response to the Committee's appeal, the discharge of the lunatics will be inevitable. It is not a pleasant prospect.

A CIVILIAN POLICE FORCE.

LETTER FROM LORD DUNRAVEN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—May I be permitted to thank the *Irish Times* for its wise and able treatment of the alleged proposal to raise a civilian force to aid the police and military in restoring law and order? Such a proceeding is, of course, legitimate, and may be wise under certain conditions. Those conditions are that law and order *versus* lawlessness and disorder are the sole dividing issues; but those conditions do not obtain in Ireland, where the population is sharply divided on matters political and religious.

Without accurate knowledge of the scheme in its details, a definite opinion cannot be pronounced, but it is, to say the least of it, a highly dangerous experiment. It cannot be applied universally or even generally. It can only operate locally, but the probable effects of its action cannot be locally confined. It may intensify disorder even to civil war, may crush all hopes of a settlement, and leave memories so bitter as to make appeasement impossible for generations.

Of all the blunders that this or any other Government have made or can make, it may be the most pernicious, and I should fail in my duty if I did not add a word of personal warning to the views so admirably expressed in the *Irish Times*.—Yours, etc.,

DUNRAVEN.

Garinish, Sneem, Co. Kerry,
September 16th, 1920.

PRE-WAR PRICES FOR FORD CARS.

A Reuter Detroit telegram, dated Tuesday, says—The Henry Ford Motor Company to-day announced the re-establishment of pre-war prices in all its products, to take effect immediately. The reductions range from, approximately, 14 per cent. on motor lorries to 31 per cent. on small motor cars.

NAVAL OFFICER'S DESERTION AT QUEENSTOWN.

At a naval courtmartial at Portsmouth yesterday Warrant Engineer John Hedditch Dickson, Royal Marine College, admitted leaving his ship at Queenstown without permission and giving himself up at Portsmouth. The defence was that he acted in fear of his life, because a young woman he was associated with told him, on discovering he was married, that he was liable to be shot by the Irish Volunteers. The defendant was ordered to forfeit six months' seniority, dismissed his ship, and severely reprimanded.

MEDAL FOR GALLANTRY.

The Committee of the Royal Humane Society yesterday awarded its bronze medal and certificate to Mr. Simon W. Maddock, Harold's Cross, Dublin, Deputy-Lieutenant and J.P. for the city, in recognition of his gallantry in attempting to save a man named Rodden, who got into difficulty while bathing in the sea at Portnablagh, County Donegal, on July 27th. Mr. Maddock incurred great risk, as he swam out fully clothed, and with great exertion brought the man in, but when landed Mr. Rodden did not recover.

THE RESIDENT MAGISTRACY.

Mr. Charles Edward Armstrong has been appointed an additional Resident Magistrate for the County of Westmeath.

STOLEN LETTERS SORTED IN POST OFFICE.

Our Kells Correspondent states:—The mail motor car plying to Kells was stopped by armed men at Moynalty Post Office on Monday night. The driver was imprisoned in a shed whilst the mails were removed to the Post Office, and searched by the raiders. Some documents were taken, and one of the Post Office officials was compelled to seal up the bags again. The driver was then ordered to proceed on his journey to Kells.

DISAPPEARANCE OF OLD AGE PENSIONS MONEY.

Considerable mystery surrounds the disappearance of a mail bag containing about £80 of old age pensions at Omagh. It appears that the bag was taken to Omagh Railway Station on Saturday last to the 3 a.m. train, and was intended for a station in the Enniskillen district. Since then nothing has been heard of the bag or its contents, and the matter is being investigated.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

The crucial hour has arrived with regard to the coal trouble, and throughout the day various bodies have been sitting discussing the prospects, with the result that up to the time of writing the prospect was uncertain. The first announcement of the day was that Mr. Smillie informed the miners' delegates that nothing had emerged from the negotiations with the Government which would justify the prevention of a strike on Saturday. Then came the hopeful intimation that the delegates were sharply divided as to the course of action to be followed, and that sectional meetings of delegates would sit during the afternoon to discuss the issue. This was regarded as an indication that moderate influences were making themselves felt.

It was noted when the delegates to the Miners' Federation began to assemble at the Memorial Hall in Farringdon street that the attendance would be one of a larger character than usual, and later it was said that it was a record gathering. This shows that the miners' world is appreciative of the gravity of the situation, and it may be that the more moderate men will be better represented.

"The Clubman," writing in the *Pall Mall Gazette* to-day, says that Mr. Smillie is now fully aware that in his extremist plans he has not the whole-hearted support of his executive, although he can rely upon acquiescence to any extent so long as there is no demand for an actual "burning of boats." The moderate men on the executive are not unduly perturbed at the outlook, black as it may seem to the uninitiated, and are quite prepared to remain in the background for the time being. He adds that he heard it stated this morning that, if all goes well and a settlement is reached on the lines of Sir Robert Horne's offer, Mr. Smillie will not find it possible to remain for long President of the Miners' Federation. He came back reluctantly after a long illness, and recent events have made serious inroads upon a constitution by no means robust. Mr. Smillie now realises that the miners will not follow him as far as he would have them go.

An interesting incident at the Miners' Conference this morning was the arrival of a deputation of women representing the National Political League, who had come to protest against the strike. Included in the deputation were the wives of miners, railwaymen, and transport workers. A great effort was made by the women to obtain admission to the conference, but the miners would not receive them, though they accepted a copy of the memorial prepared for the occasion. The decision not to receive the deputation was arrived at by a show of hands. The women will hold a series of meetings to-morrow.

Long conferences were held by the Executive of the National Union of Railwaymen and that of the Transport Workers, but little was known of the proceedings. It is said that, as things stand at present, the miners are not inclined to avail themselves of help in the negotiations with the Government from either of the other unions in the Triple Alliance. The miners think that they can manage their own negotiations, and that they are far more likely to effect a settlement by themselves.

In order to appreciate the importance attached by the Government to the question of greater output, it may, perhaps, be pointed out that since 1913 there has been an increase of 96,000 miners in the coal mines of the country. The output of the present year will, it is estimated, be 47,000,000 tons less than it was in 1913. The average annual earnings of men and boys of all classes of mine-workers has increased from £82 in 1913 to £226 in 1920.

If Mr. Smillie and Mr. Hodges had had time to read the latest news from Russia during the past few days, they might, perhaps, hold different views about the nationalisation of the mines that they are trying so hard to secure. In the Urals the Soviets have been working the mines, with the result that the output has fallen to less than 10 *per cent.* of its former quantity. Now the Bolsheviks want the capitalists to take back their property and work it profitably. The object lesson is an interesting one.

The document published this morning giving details of the action that a local "Council of Action" intends to take in the event of a general strike, when the local co-operative society is to be captured, all transport and petrol "commandeered," and several other steps taken, including the conscription of labour, with hard work for everybody, was submitted to-day to Mr. Fred. Bramley, the Joint Secretary of the National Council of Action. He did not care to call it a forgery, but declared that it had been prepared by some irresponsible person. His Council had never considered such proposals as those outlined in the document. This, of course, may be accepted, but it shows in a most decisive manner what the natural development of the so-called "Council of Action" set up here in London would lead to in the event of trouble. Irresponsible people are only too ready to follow the example set by the responsible when such action meets their views.

The Finance Act of the present year is so difficult of comprehension with regard to the income tax that the Inland Revenue Department hope to issue a guide within the next fortnight providing full explanations. The document will, it is said, be obtainable from any Surveyor of Taxes, and will contain figures showing the rate to be paid on each pound of income earned and unearned by three sets of people—married, single, and widows or widowers. All people paying income tax will be wise to obtain possession of such a document if it is issued, since the alteration in income tax is considerable.

The Food Controller harrowed the people on Saturday by warning them that by Christmas their food would cost them 9s. 6d. *per* week more. He did not point out that people are already paying 5s. 8d. of that sum, and that they need not pay the remainder if they were careful and did without luxuries. Irish bacon at 4s. 6d. a pound can be bought by the few, while butter at 5s. is another luxury only for the new rich. It is certain that everything will be very dear during the coming winter, but with care and economy housekeepers will be able to manage without incurring any very great increase in expenditure.

Once again there are revivals of the rumours that the Government, in the event of a coal strike, means to have a general election. It is not said that a decision has been actually reached, but that soundings are being made in order that the Government may know where it stands. Sir Watson Rutherford, M.P., is, perhaps, the cause of the rumours, since he said at Liverpool last night that he understood that the Government would dissolve Parliament in the event of a coal strike, and put the plain issue before the country in every constituency.

The police authorities here are taking all possible precautions to guard against a repetition of the New York explosion, and at the London Stock Exchange parcels are now forbidden, and everything in the nature of a package must be given up at a cloak-room. One of the exits of the buildings has been closed. The Stock Exchange has a body of stalwart door-keepers, and it would probably go hard with any unauthorised person trying to obtain admission to the building, particularly if accompanied by a parcel.

The Lansbury family circle with a knowledge of the sale of the Russian jewels is being enlarged, for to-day it is alleged that Mrs. Glassman, mother-in-law of Mr. Edgar Lansbury, sold many thousand pounds worth of diamonds to Mr. Blitz. Whether these stones are the same parcel heard about before is uncertain. The sale was arranged by a Mr. Zuidenseld, of Polish extraction, and a shop-keeper at Stamford Hill, who told all he knew at Scotland Yard on Friday last. The story is related by the *Evening News* very fully, but its representative was unable to get any explanation of the circumstances from Mrs. Glassman.

NO SETTLEMENT IN COAL CRISIS.

DELEGATES' MEETING.

STRIKE PROGRAMME ENDORSED.

The National Conference of Miners' Delegates opened in London yesterday. Simultaneously the National Union of Railwaymen delegates met, and the transport workers were also in session.

The official statement announced the presence of one of the largest attendances ever seen at a National Conference. After considerable discussion the Conference adjourned to allow the different sections to consider separately.

Mr. Smillie stated at the Conference that the Executive Committee had decided that in their opinion nothing had emerged during the negotiations which would justify the prevention of the strike taking place on Saturday next.

The following report was issued at the close of the Conference in the afternoon:—The Conference reassembled at three o'clock, when the discussion of the Executive's Committee report was continued, after which the report was accepted, and the proposals of the Committee, as laid before the Government, were approved.

The Press Association adds that, although the official report is obscure in its interpretation of the policy which the Conference has accepted, it, no doubt, indicates that the strike programme laid down by the Executive on the demand for 14s. 2d. reduction in the price of domestic coal and 2s. advance in wages has been endorsed by the delegate meeting.

The aggregate meeting of the Triple Alliance comprising miners, railwaymen, and transport workers takes place at Holborn Hall at eleven o'clock this morning, when the result of yesterday's Conference will be received and discussed with a view to determining the question of joint action.

The Coal Deputation from the National Women's Political League, who are organising demonstrations of miners' wives to protest against a strike, sought an interview with the miners' delegates yesterday, but the Conference decided that they could not be admitted. A petition in favour of peace, which they presented, was, however, read to the Conference by Mr. Smillie.

TRANSPORT WORKERS' ATTITUDE.

At the conclusion of yesterday's meeting of the General Council of the Transport Workers' Federation, the following statement was issued:

"The Special General Council meeting of the National Transport Workers' Federation discussed the present position of the crisis in the mining industry, and the following resolution was carried *nem. con.*:—'This meeting endorses the action of the Executive Committee in expressing approval of the rights and justice of the miners' claim, and hereby authorises the continuation of consultation through the Triple Alliance. This meeting further instructs the Executive Committee to recall a special Council meeting to report and recommend any action they may deem advisable.'"

A conference of delegates of the National Union of Railwaymen was held yesterday at Unity House to consider the threatened coal strike. The conference sat until nearly six o'clock, when Mr. J. H. Thomas announced that there was no statement to make.

Addressing the members of the Iron and Steel Institute at Cardiff yesterday, Sir Leonard Llewelyn, late general manager of the Cambrian Collieries, said that if house coal was going to be kept down in price it would mean that iron and steel and other industries would have to pay more for it. That involved higher prices for iron and steel and other products, and thereby put them on an unequal footing with other countries where the output of coal was increasing rapidly.

ARMS PERMITS REVOKED.

NEW ORDER IN DUBLIN.

Following upon the shooting affray in Dublin on Monday, when a military lorry was attacked and several lives lost, it has been decided by the Competent Military Authority for the Dublin Metropolitan Police District, Major-General G. F. Boyd, C.B., C.M.G., to withdraw all permits for arms which have been granted to persons resident within the district, and to call for the surrender of these arms into military custody. The Order reads as follows:—

"All permits for arms, ammunition, and explosives issued in the Police District of the Dublin Metropolis are hereby withdrawn by order of the Competent Military Authority.

"All arms, ammunition, and explosives must be handed in at the nearest police or military barracks before 12 midnight on Thursday, the 23rd day of September, 1920.

"Any person after that time found with any arms, ammunition, or explosives in his power or possession will be prosecuted under the Act for the Restoration of Order in Ireland.

"Receipts for arms will be given in all cases, but owners are responsible that their property is sufficiently labelled, oiled, or otherwise protected against injury.

"(Signed) G. F. BOYD, Major-General,
"Competent Military Authority."

REPUBLICAN ARMY ORDERS

THE SHOOTING OF POLICEMEN.

CHARGES AT CORK COURT-MARTIAL.

Before a district courtmartial at Cork yesterday Robert Kenny, Newmarket, Co. Cork, was charged with having in his possession documents likely to cause disaffection to His Majesty, which, *inter alia*, stated:—"Some 250 strongholds of the enemy were attacked on April 23rd, and raided and destroyed by soldiers of the Irish Republic. The work was carried out with great skill and efficiency." The accused declined to recognise the court.

William O'Mara, Carrick-on-Suir, was charged on five different counts with having illegal documents in his possession. In one of these it was stated:—"To O.C., Batt. 7, Tipperary, No. 3 Brigade.—You wil sublmit plans for attacking Glenbower Barracks to Brigade Headquarters, same to be with Commandant by September 10th; also plans for dealing with enemy wrecking parties in towns, villages, houses, and creameries in your area.—Commandant." In another written document the following appeared:—"No peelers to be shot without battalion officer present or some other man. All peelers acting as spies to be shot, and also all vicious peelers, and any that attempt to fight get active service corps on at once."

Evidence was given as to searching the house of the accused at Lough street, Carrick-on-Suir, and finding the papers and documents in a drawer.

The accused declined to recognise the court, but said, for general information, that he had absolutely nothing to do with the documents, and knew nothing about them.

The court closed, and the decisions in both cases will be announced.

THE KILMASHOGUE AFFRAY.

THE INQUEST POSTPONED.

ABSENCE OF JURYMEN.

Dr. Louis A. Byrne, City Coroner, attended at King George V. Hospital, Dublin, yesterday afternoon to hold an inquest on the body of John Doyle, of 159 Emmet street, Inchicore, who was killed in the encounter between Forces of the Crown and civilians on the slopes of Larch Hill, Kilmashogue, on Sunday. Nine jurors attended, and a tenth was obtained after a delay of an hour. At half-past five the Coroner, addressing the jurymen, said that it would be impossible to hold the inquest that day. He thanked them for their attendance, and discharged them. He then instructed Superintendent Willoughby, Dublin Metropolitan Police, to call a jury on fines for half-past eleven this morning.

Mr. W. Carrigan, K.C., has been instructed by the Chief Crown Solicitor to appear on behalf of the authorities.

Inquests will also be held on the bodies of Privates H. J. Washington and M. Whitehead, Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), who met their deaths in the fight in North King street on Monday, and Sergeants Thomas Doulton, Worcestershire Regiment, and B. Sweeney, King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment, who died in the hospital from bullet wounds received in Portobello Barrack on the same day.

HIS MAJESTY'S LIEUTENANT FOR COUNTY KILKENNY.

The Earl of Desart, K.P., has been appointed to be His Majesty's Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum for the County Kilkenny.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A depression over Belgium and Northern France is maintaining its position with little modification, but the barometer is again rising generally. Winds will continue northerly or north-easterly, and will maintain rather low temperature. Weather is likely to be mainly fair, but cloudy or dull at times, and local rain or showers may be experienced, especially on the East and South-East coasts.

Ireland.—Winds light, northerly; fair generally, but local showers; visibility mainly fair to good; some mist inland; rather cold.

BELFAST "CURFEW" SHOOTING AFFAIR.

FOUR CHALLENGES UNHEEDED.

MILITARY EXONERATED AT INQUEST.

An inquest was held in Belfast yesterday on John Toner (51), a shipyard worker, who was shot by military within a few yards of his own door on the night of 11th September.

Mr. Cecil Fforde, K.C. (instructed by Mr. J. R. Moorhead, Crown Solicitor), who appeared for the military authorities, said that Toner met his death at the hands of a military patrol at 10.50 on the night of the 11th inst., and the military authorities wished to express their deep regret that this man's life should have been lost, and they wished to tender to the relatives their deepest sympathy. On this night a military patrol under Sergeant Trevelyan, of the Somerset Light Infantry, was on duty in this neighbourhood. There had been some signs of disturbance, and the sergeant was instructed to watch particularly the area in the vicinity of the Roman Catholic Church. When the patrol which passed along Newtownards road reached Cable street they saw a man walking away from them. It was then 10.50 p.m., twenty minutes after "Curfew." Lance-Corporal Bright, who was leading the patrol, challenged in a loud voice, shouting out "Halt, who goes there?" The man paid no attention. The challenge was given a second and a third time, and yet the man failed to halt. The sergeant, hearing the challenge, came up and ordered that a shot should be fired to stop the man, who was now crossing the street and fast disappearing in the darkness. Before firing, the lance-corporal challenged a fourth time, but, instead of stopping, the man seemed to quicken his pace. The lance-corporal then fired, and the man fell, death being apparently instantaneous. Counsel recalled that all the jurors who had been called on to investigate the sad tragedies arising out of the riots had commended the military and the police for the careful and discreet way in which they had acted and the courage they displayed throughout the disturbances. He was sure that the jury would say that, in regard to this unfortunate tragedy the military had simply performed their duty. There was no doubt at all that Toner was not engaged in any seditious or felonious enterprise in the criminal sense of the word. He was a man of good character and peaceful disposition, who was on the way home at the time he met his death; but the fact remained that the responsibility for his death was primarily upon himself for being out at an hour when citizens, in loyal obedience to the Order enforced for the good of the city, should have been indoors. Possibly, this quiet, respectable, hard-working man, who was near his own door, thought, when he heard the military challenge, that, if he hurried up, he could get in before anything happened, and thus avoid the unpleasantness of being arrested.

Samuel Toner, a brother with whom the deceased resided at 29 Cable street, stated that while having a cup of tea in his kitchen about 10.45 p.m. on the 11th, his little daughter, who was standing at the front door, shouted "There is my Uncle John. The soldiers are halting him, and he is walking. He will be shot." Immediately a shot rang out, and witness rushed out, to find his brother lying on his back on the street, apparently dead. He never moved. Witness accompanied his brother to the Royal Victoria Hospital, where on arrival, the doctor said that his brother was dead.

Mr. Fforde—I need hardly say I wish to tender the sympathy of the military with you in this unfortunate tragedy.

Sergeant Trevelyan, the non-commissioned officer in charge of the patrol, said that he heard Lance-Corporal Bright challenge three times in a very loud voice. The man made no attempt to halt, but stepped off the pavement and proceeded to cross the road, still going away. On the third challenge the man distinctly increased his pace. The lance-corporal asked witness if he should fire, and witness told him to challenge again, and, if the man, who was now fast disappearing from view, did not stop, to fire. Lance-Corporal Bright again challenged. The man still went on, and was now quite fifty yards distant. The lance-corporal fired, and the man fell.

Lance-Corporal Bright gave corroborative evidence of challenging four times and then firing, by order of the sergeant. He aimed low at the man's feet. The man was going away from him all the time. He deeply regretted the incident, and sympathised with the relatives.

Private Hargett and Constable John Flynn, who accompanied the patrol, also gave evidence.

A verdict was returned exonerating the military from blame, and recommending the man's children to the consideration of His Majesty's Government.

EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYED.

LIVELY MEETING AT OLYMPIA.

THE "RED FLAG" SUNG.

At the resumption of yesterday's conference of employers and employed at Olympia, called by the Industrial League and Council to consider the improvement of relations, many of those present sang "The red flag."

Concluding his paper on high prices and world competition, Mr. Barnes said no economic system could be introduced into a country unless introduced with the goodwill and co-operation of all classes. He urged them to come together, not separate themselves into miserable classes. Do not, he said, let yourselves be beguiled by talk of class warfare and class wages slavery. Let them get Labour on to the higher ground of reason and commonsense out of the miserable struggle for their bread.

At this statement there was disturbance and considerable interruption.

One speaker from the London Workers' Committee said that he had never addressed an audience so thoroughly soaked with respectability.

There were further cries of "Barnes is a traitor." The interrupters were appealed to stick to the solution for unemployment.

The Chairman appealed for order, whereupon someone shouted they need not have "any hobnobbing of Labour with the employers."

A working woman from North London declared that if women had had the power of men the country would not now be in such a hash. These conferences, she said, were merely used to exploit the workers and make them think the master was a jolly good fellow, when all the time he was the workers' worst enemy.

Loud cheers from a section greeted this statement.

Sir George Paish observed that, in view of the starvation of many European countries, and the threat of famine to Italy, France, and ourselves, were we at such a time to have only narrow interests? With general co-operation the nations would get through. They should not come to a meeting with such clap-trap as they had heard that day.

Mr. Barnes declared that they had only heard phrases which had been used by the young, exuberant, and the ignorant men in conferences during the last fifty years. The speakers no more represented the democracy of this country than they did Bedouins in the Sahara. They had blown off their stupid phrases while other people had been working to improve their conditions.

Shouts and great disorder ensued.

With comparative quiet restored, Mr. Barnes said that he was glad to have had a chance of getting in one or two home truths. The proceedings then closed.

DAIL EIREANN AND MILITARY INQUESTS.

INSTRUCTIONS TO LOUTH COUNTY COUNCIL.

Our Dundalk Correspondent states:—At a special meeting of Louth County Council on Monday night, Alderman J. E. Murphy (Chairman) presiding, a letter was read from the Chief Secretary's Office, setting forth the recent Order of the Lords Justices, directing that in future inquests in certain counties and county boroughs are not to be held by the Coroners, but by a court constituted under the Army Act. In connection with this matter a letter was read from Dáil Eireann, stating that the Ministry of Dáil Eireann viewed the court legislation of an enemy Government as striking a blow at a most important safeguard to the lives of Irish citizens, and instructing the Council to inform Coroners that inquests should be held as formerly, "all such legislation of an enemy Government notwithstanding."

The Chairman said that they would have to follow the advice of their own Government, and he proposed that the Coroners of the county be directed to hold inquests as heretofore. He knew that the Volunteers would co-operate in reporting cases of sudden death, etc.

Alderman Harley seconded the resolution, which was passed unanimously.

Since the Order of the Lords Justices came into force a week ago the military have held three inquests in Louth.

BIG BEQUEST FOR BLINDED SOLDIERS.

Reuter's Brisbane Correspondent on Tuesday telegraphed:—Alan Anthony, a Maltese planter, settled at a place sixty miles inland from Port Moresby, British New Guinea, in 1890. A fortnight ago he fell from a balcony, injuring his spine. He was carried to the coast, and died at sea *en route* for Queensland. Prior to his death Anthony informed the passengers that he had amassed a fortune of £60,000 and had bequeathed it all for the benefit of blinded soldiers of the British and Australian Armies.

FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

THE CLAIMS OF THE COUNTRY.

Dealing with the coal question, *The Times* says:—To-day the representatives of the Railwaymen's Union and of the Transport Workers, whose organisations make up, with the Miners' Federation, what is known as the "Triple Alliance," will deliberate upon the situation, and may possibly decide upon some form of intervention or mediation in the dispute. We shall not attempt to prejudge their decisions or their eventual action. What we would urge upon them, as upon the miners and upon the Government, are the claims of the country itself. A statement is attributed to Mr. William Carter, a representative of the miners, and a member of Parliament for the Mansfield Division, to the effect that, while the miners' leaders desire an honourable settlement, the Government and the Press desire "war." We cannot conceive that the Government should wish for a strike, and, though our title to represent the Ministerial mind is of the slightest, we believe the charge against them to be entirely baseless. As regards the responsible section of the Press, we know it to be as untrue as was the accusation wildly launched some weeks ago, that those who foresaw the dangers of a Bolshevist victory over Poland desired "war with Russia." No man in his senses now desires a strike. What every reasonable man and woman wants is that those who produce the national wealth, as employed or employers, shall be justly remunerated; that demands which may, or may not, be justified for increases of remuneration shall be settled fairly on their merits; that the intertwining of political issues with these economic matters shall cease; and that all sections of the community shall strive to bring the country through its economic and financial difficulties by good work and increased production. Otherwise industrial chaos, financial crisis, and the impoverishment of all classes of the nation will be inevitable. The offers made yesterday by Sir Robert Horne to the miners' representatives contain, explicitly and by implication, an assurance of the satisfaction of the miners' legitimate claims. The impartial eye can distinguish no difference between those claims in their present form and the Government proposals that would in any way justify a strike. And as the country, in this matter, consists of a great majority of well-disposed and impartial men and women, it would most certainly condemn and resist an attempt by the miners' leaders to force their will upon it by means of a strike.

IRISH ACTIVITIES IN AMERICA.

The Washington Correspondent of *The Times*, in a message bearing yesterday's date, says:—Press telegrams from London indicate that there is a certain excitement about a "Committee of One Hundred," now being organised in New York to investigate "atrocities" in Ireland. There is no need for excitement. The Committee, so far as its membership is at present complete, represents American opinion neither in *personnel* nor purpose. Its instigator is Mr. Oswald Garrison Villard, a rich American of Teutonic extraction, formerly owner of the *New York Evening Post*, and now owner and editor of *The Nation*—an ultra-Liberal weekly. He is regarded by the average American as a somewhat unpractical Radical.

If, on broad questions, the Correspondent continues, Americans are no longer inclined to believe Ireland automatically in the right, and England automatically in the wrong, it is because it is realised that it is not England which is now withholding from Ireland that generous measure of autonomy which American opinion has always, since Gladstone's first Home Rule Bill, thought she ought to have. Finally, Mr. de Valera, together with its own tactics, has done Sinn Fein great harm. It has become impossible for Irish malcontents any longer to pose as the picturesque victims of the racial prejudice and the administrative stupidity of John Bull. They are, instead, doubly identified with those disruptive elements of society which Americans, of all people, hate and fear, and would strongly repress. By murdering policemen, and other atrocities, the Irish rebels have bracketed themselves with terrorists of the type which the Wall street outrage has again caused to be execrated by every paper in the country. Mr. De Valera is also suspected of relations with Bolshevist extremists. Nor is that the only raw nerve that has been touched. One of the great disappointments of the war has been the way in which it has accentuated the cleavages of America's polyglot population, instead of acting as the fire under the melting pot. Indignation has been caused by the recent revelations in the *New York Times* and the *Milwaukee Journal* that German-Americans are again trying to form a Teutonic organisation for purposes of political blackmail. It is noted that they have approached the Irish-Americans for support. Whether their negotiations had any success, and whether Mr. De Valera had any part therein, is not yet known, but it is known that Mr. De Valera, besides irritating politicians by unsuccessfully trying to impose his views on American parties, has, before now, played upon the prejudices of the "hyphenates" in speeches to Irish and immigrant audiences in which he has abused the Washington Government. The United States, in fact, has been given an object-lesson in the sort of people we have to deal with in Ireland, and the effects of this outweigh the influence of committees like Mr. Villard's. Consequently, lectures to Americans upon the folly of ignorant meddling in Irish affairs have never been more out of place.

THE ASPIRATIONS OF BURMA.

The Times, in a leading article, touching upon the scheme of constitutional reforms for Burma, now under consideration, says—The Government of Burma claim that their scheme leads towards "the goal of separation," and imply that an ultimate severance of the connection with India would be advantageous to Burma. The Government of India do not think the time is ripe for separation, but are quite placid about a future parting. The Burmese themselves appear to be warmly in favour of separation, although they do not press it at this juncture. We hope that the separation scheme will never be pressed. If the Indian Empire is big enough to include Pathans and Bengalis and Madrasis, it is capable of embracing the Burmese also. Their true interests do not lie in preserving their immemorial isolation, but in breaking it down. They should look forward to closer intercourse with India, and not try to erect a stockade against their neighbours. Instead of being isolated, the Burmese should do their utmost to press forward the long-neglected schemes for linking up their railways with the Indian railway system. Considerations of joint defence make unity imperative, and there are many other reasons why the mischievous separatist agitation should be discontinued.

CANADIAN SHIPS FOR THE FAR EAST.

In a cablegram dated September 20th, the Toronto Correspondent of *The Times* says—To-day the head office of the Canadian National Railways here announces a joint arrangement between the Canadian Government Merchant Marine and the Canadian national railways, with the British India Steam Navigation Company, under which the Canadian Government Merchant Marine and the British India Company will each have an equal number of the latest type of steel cargo steamers, in a joint service between Eastern Canadian ports and India, the Straits Settlements, and Java. By the inauguration of these new services the national ships of Canada, in conjunction with the railways of the Canadian national system, will constitute a belt line of transportation around the world.

SERIOUS COTTON DISPUTE.

Telegraphing yesterday, the Manchester Correspondent of *The Times* says:—There has been a dramatic sequel to the strike of spinners and piecers in the Oldham district. At a meeting of the Emergency Committee of the Master Cotton Spinners' Federation in Manchester to-day it was decided to call a further meeting to consider the taking of united action in the event of the dispute not being terminated. This means, of course, that the employers are prepared to call a general lock-out.

ENSURING FOOD SUPPLIES.

The Times understands that the Government, while they do not apprehend any very serious difficulty in maintaining sufficient food supplies in the event of a coal strike, desire that the public should understand that such a serious industrial upheaval cannot but materially interfere with the personal comfort and freedom of everybody. It would obviously be improvident for the authorities not to take emergency measures to restrict consumption, and to secure fair distribution. The longer the strike lasts, the more stringent these conditions will have to be.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

The Stock markets were decidedly dull at the opening, owing to the uncertainty as to the outcome of the Labour dispute, coupled with the reaction in the New York exchange, states *The Times* financial report. Continental selling was in progress; otherwise there were no signs of any pressure to sell. In the afternoon, when the foreign selling ceased, prices began to recover, and South African Mining and Oil shares eventually showed some improvement on balance. Japanese Bonds were buoyant on the lower American exchange, and a certain amount of support was again forthcoming for Home and Argentine Railway Securities.

FRENCH PRESIDENCY.

TEXT OF M. DESCHANEL'S MESSAGE.

GENERAL APPROVAL OF M. MILLERAND.

NO OTHER CANDIDATE IN VIEW.

Writing from Paris yesterday, Reuter's Correspondent says:—

The message from President Deschanel, resigning his high office, was read simultaneously in the Chamber and in the Senate. The ceremony only lasted half an hour, and was over by 3.30.

The following is the text of M. Deschanel's message:—

My state of health no longer allows me to assume the high functions wherewith your confidence invested me at the meeting of the National Assembly on January 17 last. The absolute necessity which has been imposed on me to take a complete rest renders it my duty no longer to delay in informing you of the decision which I have been compelled to take. It is infinitely painful to me, and it is with a deep heart-pang that I renounce the noble task of which you judged me worthy. The task of President of the Republic implies at all times grave duties, which demand activity and energy, rather than weakness, particularly during the years when victorious France is called upon to reconstitute her forces at home, and at the same time to ensure abroad the integral obligations of the Treaty of Peace, so gloriously, but so dearly, gained. I persevered even to the last extremity. The hour has come when I should feel lacking in what I owe you by not resigning my functions into your hands. At the moment when I retire, I venture to express the wish that the representatives of the nation whose patriotic concord was a powerful help to victory—(prolonged cheers)—may maintain in peace their union for the greatness and prosperity of this adored France, to the service of which I have devoted my life, and which will be my last thought. It will be the *rôle* and enviable privilege of my successor to extol a few days hence before the world the work of the Republic which, after having saved its honour fifty years ago—(loud and prolonged cheers) brought back under our colours Alsace-Lorraine. Certain of fulfilling a most serious, as well as a most cruel task, I lay on the table of the Senate and Chamber my resignation of the Presidency of the Republic.

(Signed) PAUL DESCHANEL.

EXPRESSIONS OF SYMPATHY.

On the conclusion of the reading of the message M. Peret added a few graceful words of sympathy. He said that he would make himself the mouthpiece of the House with regard to M. Deschanel in expressing to him the deepest sympathy in his great trial.

Then came the surprise of the day. Everyone expected that M. Millerand would proceed to the Tribune, and organised demonstrations which had been talked about for days were about to break out, but suddenly a small figure in the front row of the semi-circle was seen to rise in his place, and it was then realised that M. Millerand had cleverly avoided anything which might have given the proceeding the character of a *coup de théâtre*. In what appeared to the onlookers a mere half dozen words M. Millerand said that the Government desired to associate itself with the words which had fallen from the lips of the Chamber, and to tender to M. Deschanel the expression of their profound sympathy. (Loud cheers.)

M. Peret then read out passages of the constitutional law providing for circumstances such as had now arisen, and declared that the meeting of the two Houses would be held at Versailles on Thursday next for the election of the new President.

The Presidents of the various party groups of the Chamber have decided to hold a plenary meeting at 2.30 to-morrow afternoon at the Senate to nominate a candidate for the Presidency of the Republic.

M. Millerand's candidature for the Presidency, says a later message, was to-day adopted by four Parliamentary Groups—the Radical Socialist, the Entente Republicans, the Action Republicain et Sociale, and the Republicain de Gauche. All effective opposition to M. Millerand has disappeared.

M. MILLERAND'S POSITION.

More than usual interest, says a Reuter's message, dated Paris, Tuesday, attaches to M. Millerand's declaration accepting candidature for the Presidency, owing to the significant passage referring to his conception of the functions of the President. This declaration reflects the views which M. Millerand has long been known to possess, and the speech of November 17, 1919, to which he alludes, sets forth the view that it should be recognised that for a long time, even before the establishment of the Republic, Parliament had never ceased encroaching on the duties and rights of the Executive power. That was a system, M. Millerand declared, which should be altered by returning to each constitutional power the entirety of its rights and duties. The President of the Republic, continued the speech, is to-day elected by 900 Paliamentarians. The President of the Republic is not constitutionally a syndic of Parliamentarians, but the first representative of France.

Reading over this speech, and bearing in mind the emphatic reference to it in yesterday's message, it is not difficult to forecast with some certainty the spirit in which M. Millerand will enter the Elysée.

The majority of papers this morning applaud M. Millerand's bold departure from stereotyped phrases, and his intimation that he intends to be a real President, taking a large and wise part in the destiny of the nation—not merely an honoured figure-head, acting under the influence of successive "Maires du Palais." This change in orientation of the Presidency could be effected without organic alteration of the existing constitution. Such a change as M. Millerand has in mind can be effected more by the spirit of the man at the helm than by changes in a statute book. The atmosphere this morning may be described by saying that M. Millerand's statement has been received with great sympathy, auguring well for the support he will receive from France.

The *Journal* states that the President has been confined to his chambers since yesterday. It is persistently rumoured that his condition has become worse.

M. Millerand visited the President at Rambouillet yesterday, and returned with M. Deschanel's resignation addressed to the Presidents of the Senate and the Chamber. Among the names mentioned for Premiership are MM. Briand, Poincaré, Jounart, and Georges Leygues.

THREATS OF EXPLOSIONS.

NERVOUSNESS IN NEW YORK.

Telegraphing from New York on Tuesday, Reuter's Correspondent says—The *New York Times* states that there was a good deal of nervousness amongst thousands of clerks and stenographers employed in the Custom House and its vicinity on account of a threat of an explosion there this afternoon. Many girls and young women were prostrated and unable to come to their offices at all. The Customs authorities took every precaution to have all approaches heavily guarded. Suspicious-looking strangers, particularly those carrying packages, were detained and cross-examined, and in some instances they were searched. Not only were there a score of Customs Guards and Coastguards, carrying rifles, standing in control of the Custom House, but reserves for these guards were held in readiness in a park adjoining the building.

A message despatched at 2.30 p.m. says—The Custom House was still standing at 2.30, and the minutes continued to tick off one by one, without any sign of a bomb or a single Anarchist. A curious crowd, keeping at a respectful distance, was watching the building in awed expectancy, while the guards marched stolidly up and down, effectively concealing whatever tremors they might be feeling.

MESOPOTAMIA.

The War Office issues the following *communiqué*:—

On the Lower Euphrates there is little of note to report. The Kufah garrison is reported to have increased the area held by it by occupying some additional buildings in the town.

North of Bagdad, also, all is quiet. Aeroplanes fired on and dispersed a hostile concentration 16 miles south of Samarrah.

North-east of Bagdad a reconnaissance sent out by us from Zaraghan reported the Kifri road clear to Zaratappah, 24 miles south of Kifri, but the railway and telegraph beyond Zaratappah slightly damaged.

A body of insurgents who sniped Bakuba were driven off by Lewis gunfire. Hostile concentrations are reported in the Bakuba-Deltawa area.

GERMAN ARCHITECT AND RHEIMS CATHEDRAL.

The *Journal des Débats* recounts that Tornow, the German architect, who received many commissions from the Kaiser, is now turning his attention to the possibility of obtaining contracts from his late enemies, since no work seems to be coming to him in Germany. He has been working very hard on a plan for the restoration of Rheims Cathedral, and can see no reason why his plan should not be accepted. It was Tornow, it will be remembered, who was commissioned to build the porch of the old Cathedral of Metz. The result is an incongruous excrescence, which has only one claim on the sightseer—Tornow decorated it with an effigy of the Prophet Daniel, whose face is an exact portrait of Kaiser Wilhelm II.

FATAL SHOOTING IN COUNTY LIMERICK.

CONSTABLE'S DEATH FROM WOUNDS.

TWO CIVILIANS SHOT DEAD.

Our Limerick Correspondent telegraphs:—Constable James O'Donoghue, who was fired at by an armed party returning from Abbeyfeale to Limerick by motor lorry early on Monday morning and wounded, died at the Military Hospital, Limerick, late on Monday night. O'Donoghue was unmarried, and was a native of Monaghan.

CIVILIANS FIRED ON AND KILLED

Our Limerick Correspondent telegraphs:—Two men were shot dead in the neighbourhood of Abbeyfeale on Monday. They are Batholomew Healy (labourer) and Patrick Hartnett (rural postman), both young men, and living in the locality. It is stated that they met a constabulary patrol on the public road on the Kerry side of the town, and were called on after some parley to surrender. They did not heed the challenge, but tried to escape. The patrol fired on the two men, shooting both dead on the spot.

COUNTY LIMERICK CREAMERY BURNED.

On Monday night Devon road Co-operative Creamery was partially burned. No reason is assigned for the outrage, which will involve a loss of several thousand pounds.

POLICE SERGEANT FIRED ON AND WOUNDED.

SEQUEL TO SEARCH IN KING'S COUNTY.

Our Tullamore Correspondent states:—Sergeant Maguire, R.I.C., Shannonbridge, was admitted to the King's County Infirmary yesterday morning suffering from a bullet wound in the head. The sergeant was conveyed to the hospital in a military motor lorry.

Details in connection with the shooting of Sergeant Maguire are very meagre. It appears, however, that soldiers left Tullamore on a raiding expedition in the South end of the county. They arrived in Shannonbridge some time in the afternoon, and picking up Sergeant Maguire and three constables proceeded to Ferbane, where they searched a number of houses. It is alleged that Sergeant Maguire was shot while sitting outside on the window sill of a house in which a search was in progress. He was chatting to some soldiers when suddenly a shot was fired from the opposite side of the street, and the sergeant fell. On being picked up it was found that the bullet had penetrated the peak of his cap, and entered the head through the right eye. First aid was rendered by the soldiers. Sergeant Maguire is in a critical condition. It is rumoured that a young man named Claffey has been arrested in connection with the affair. A large party of armed police and military left Tullamore yesterday morning for the scene of the shooting. The police station in Ferbane was vacated some months ago, and the barrack demolished.

Sergeant Maguire is married, his wife and children residing in Kilkenny.

REPORTED ATTACK ON COUNTY CLARE BARRACK.

MILITARY ASSISTANCE FROM ENNIS.

Our Ennis Correspondent telegraphs:—A report received here from Ballyvaughan district states that the police barracks there was attacked by a large party on Monday night, with what result is not known. Military have gone there from Ennis. All the wires in the district were cut.

AUDACIOUS AFFAIR IN COUNTY ROSCOMMON.

MONEY TAKEN FROM DANCE HALL OFFICIALS.

At Castlecoote (Co. Roscommon) a dance was held in the Hibernian Hall on Sunday for the purpose of providing funds for the victims of the Belfast riots. When the hall was almost full three or four men, disguised, walked over to the doorkeepers and collectors, who were standing outside, and, having locked the door, demanded the money received for the tickets. Having obtained the money, amounting to several pounds, they took their departure.

MILITARY ACTIVITY IN THE PROVINCES.

SEARCHES AND ARRESTS.

Great activity is being displayed by the military authorities at Omagh. On Sunday night military occupied positions on all the roads leading to the town, "held up" pedestrians, and subjected them to a thorough search. The Town Hall and Courthouse have been "commandeered" by the military, and a large additional force of troops is expected shortly.

The police and military at Omagh on Tuesday morning carried out the arrests of four young men in the town on the charge of being concerned in a raid for arms which took place at the house of Mr. John Patterson, Kingarrow, Omagh, on Thursday, 9th September. The prisoners were brought to Omagh Police Barracks, and in the afternoon a military motor from Omagh Dépôt, filled with armed military, was drawn up at the Police Barracks. As the prisoners departed in the Derry direction there was a big demonstration by the Sinn Feiners.

ARRESTS IN DUNGANNON.

The military stationed in Dungannon searched all civilians leaving the town on Saturday night. Shortly after 2 o'clock on Sunday morning they stopped four young men on the Donaghmore road. While the military were searching one of the men two others made off across the fields and escaped. They took into custody Francis Armstrong, of Aghareany, and Michael McClusky, Tullycullion. The prisoners were removed on Monday, under military escort, to Belfast.

SEARCHES IN ROSCOMMON AND TIPPERARY.

Our Boyle (Co. Roscommon) Correspondent states:—Over 100 soldiers and police made several raids on the houses of prominent Sinn Feiners in various parts of Roscommon and Sligo.

On Saturday night large numbers of soldiers and police visited Irishtown, Clonmel, and raided the residences of Mr. J. Kennedy and Mr. William Myles. Yesterday three prisoners were brought into Clonmel Barracks in lorries filled with armed police.

FLAG INCIDENT IN COUNTY CLARE.

Our Ennis Correspondent telegraphs:—On Sunday evening a large new Republican flag was floated from the roof of the Town Hall in Ennis, but after a couple of hours a force of military, under two officers, appeared with an armoured car, and removed the flag. A large crowd witnessed the scene, and hooted the soldiers. When the latter had taken their departure with the flag a second flag was hoisted over the building amid cheers, but the soldiers returned and removed this also.

MOTOR CAR STOLEN IN ROSCOMMON.

On Sunday night, or early on Monday morning, a motor car, the property of Mr. Martin Rafferty, was taken from his garage, Castle street, Roscommon, and has not since been returned.

WORKHOUSE "COMMANDEERED" BY MILITARY.

The military have "commandeered" Castlerea Workhouse, with the exception of the Workhouse Hospital. The officials of the Roscommon Union received notice that half of the inmates of Castlerea Workhouse would be transferred to Roscommon on Thursday next.

RIGA PEACE CONFERENCE.

THE FIRST MEETING.

In a message, dated Riga, Tuesday, *The Times* Correspondent says:—The first meeting of the Peace Conference at Riga took place this afternoon in the magnificent hall of the so-called "House of Black Heads," at 5.15 p.m. A small number of the public were present, and journalists from all countries. The Latvian Minister for Foreign Affairs, in an introductory address, dwelt on the immense need of Eastern Europe for peace, and the delight with which the people of Riga would greet the conclusion of peace in their midst. M. Dombski, the head of the Polish delegation, read a reply on behalf of the Polish delegates in a vibrant voice. He was followed by Joffe, the chief of the Russian delegation, a black-bearded gentleman, of Jewish appearance. One got a strong first impression that none of the Bolshevist delegates represented the type of Russian to which one was accustomed in the tall, broad-shouldered, slow-moving men of fair complexion. The speeches, which were delivered in French, Polish, and Russian, were, all three, brief. After the exchange of credentials the proceedings closed, having lasted a bare quarter of an hour.

TERRIBLE OUTBREAK IN BALBRIGGAN.

SEQUEL TO MURDER OF A HEAD CONSTABLE.

TOWN PARTIALLY DESTROYED BY FIRE.

IMPORTANT FACTORY DEMOLISHED.

TWO RESIDENTS SHOT DEAD.

PANIC AMONG THE INHABITANTS: FLIGHT TO ADJOINING TOWNS.

During Monday night and Tuesday morning there was a violent outbreak in Balbriggan, following the murder of Head Constable Burke in that town.

Head Constable Burke, with other police in plain clothes, had motored from Dublin on their way to Gormanstown.

At Balbriggan they stopped for refreshments, which were refused by the publican.

In the disturbance which appears to have ensued, revolver shots were discharged, and the Head Constable was shot dead, and his brother, Sergeant Burke, was wounded.

Subsequently, it is stated, a number of auxiliary police stationed at Gormanstown came into Balbriggan. Many houses were burned and shots fired in the streets. Two civilians were killed during the night.

In the morning large numbers of the panic-stricken population left the town by road and railway, and apparently only those who were unable to get away remained.

A series of events occurred in Balbriggan on Monday night and yesterday morning which has resulted in the loss of three lives and destruction of property worth upwards of £200,000, and in a panic-stricken exodus of the townspeople, from little children to the aged and tottering, who have fled into the surrounding countryside and crowded the trains both in the Drogheda and Dublin directions yesterday.

When our reporter visited the town yesterday it presented a most extraordinary spectacle. The spacious hosiery factory, adjoining the railway station, of Messrs. Deedes, Temple, and Co., in which some 400 workers have been employed, was a mass of smoking ruins; while in the principal streets of the town several of the leading business premises chiefly those of grocers and licensed traders—were also smouldering ruins, and one street, containing some thirty small houses—Clonard street—had been virtually reduced to ashes. People of both sexes and all ages were leaving the town, as though it were stricken with plague. Some were leaving in vehicles, others on foot, and by eventide it is safe to say that not a tithe of the population remained in the village.

ORIGIN OF THE AFFAIR.

The majority of the townspeople appeared to be quite in ignorance as to how the trouble originated. All they could say was that it began with the shooting of two policemen—Head Constable Burke and his brother, Sergeant Burke. The former belonged to the R.I.C. Dépôt in the Phœnix Park. From official sources it has been ascertained that Head Constable Burke won special promotion to that rank in the Constabulary some eighteen months ago for a very courageous defence of Moyona Police Hut, Co. Clare, and was also awarded the Constabulary Medal for his action on that occasion. He was high on the list for promotion to the rank of District Inspector, and would probably have got his promotion in the course of a few days.

On Tuesday evening he left Dublin with his brother and some members of the Auxiliary Force of the Constabulary, intending to proceed to Gormanstown Camp, where some 500 of the Auxiliary Force are stationed, and to return to the Dépôt on the same evening. When Head Constable Burke and his companions arrived at Balbriggan, some three miles from Gormanstown, their taxicab pulled up outside the licensed premises of Mrs. Mary Smith. This, according to a number of the townspeople, was at about 9 p.m. The party asked for refreshments but were refused to be served. They protested against this, and shortly afterwards some of the local police force arrived on the scene, but do not appear to have actively interfered in the matter. Shortly afterwards a number of civilians, who are stated to have been members of the police force organised by the Irish Volunteers, entered the premises, and requested those who were there to leave. Some disturbance followed, in the course of which shots were fired, and Head Constable Burke fell near the doorway fatally wounded, while his brother, Sergeant Burke, was also shot and wounded.

EYE-WITNESS'S STORY.

An old gentleman resident, describing what following the shooting, said—"Myself and my wife went to bed, and some time later we were awakened by a tremendous knocking at the door, which greatly alarmed my wife. We thought it was some persons intruding. On going down to the door, I found there two 'black and tan' policemen, with two children of the barber, James Lawless. One of the children was suffering from pneumonia, and the other was an infant of not more than two years old. I took the two children upstairs and put them into my own bed as they were. Immediately afterwards Mrs. Derham and her whole family of five children came in and stopped with me for the night. Mrs. Derham is the mother of the Chairman of the Balbriggan Town Commissioners, who is at present in Mountjoy Jail. I was told that the house of Lawless, the barber, had been wrecked, and this morning I learnt that Lawless was dead—that he had been taken from his house and shot, and also that a young man named Joe Gibbons, a dairy farmer, had been killed."

A CANADIAN'S EXPERIENCE.

Mr. McGee, a Canadian gentleman who has served in the war, and who is staying with his wife on holidays in Balbriggan, stated to our representative:—"We first heard firing just as we were going to bed, at about 11 o'clock. When we heard the firing we thought that an attack was being made on the police barracks. After that we heard a lot of fellows marching by—'black and tans,' as they are called. They marched up the street, and they set fire to houses—a number of houses at the back of Drogheda street. After that they came up to a house just above where I am staying. We heard them tell the people to come out, and when they got them out they set fire to the house. Then an old lady came to the house where I am staying, and sought refuge there. She was very anxious about her own house, and went down to the door. Some persons, I do not know who they were, fired shots through the front door of the house where we are staying. The old lady was then just standing at the door, and my wife and another lady were on the stairs. The bullets came through the door. Subsequently they went down to Connolly's big premises and set fire to them. I was told to-day that it was with petrol they set fire to the houses, and that they then threw incendiary bombs into the buildings."

EXTENT OF THE DAMAGE.

The extent of the damage caused in Balbriggan during the night was stated last evening to be as follows:—

J. Landy's licensed grocery premises, Drogheda street.

W. McGowan's licensed grocery premises, do.

John Derham's licensed grocery premises, do.

James McGlew's licensed grocery premises, do.

J. Connolly's licensed grocery premises, Bridge street.

James Lawless's hairdresser's shop.

About thirty small houses in Clonard street, most of them thatched cottages, and some slated dwellings.

Two private houses burned at the corner of Market Green, occupied by tenants named Gilsenan and Canty.

The localities in which houses and shops have been wrecked or burned include Clonard street, Bridge street, Drogheda street, Dublin street, and Chapel street.

Among the dwellings destroyed is the residence of Mrs. Andrew White, sister-in-law of Mr. E. de Valera, M.P., and the residence of Mr. Laurence Flanagan, brother-in-law of Mr. de Valera.

The extensive hosiery factory of Messrs. Deedes, Templer and Co. (Ltd.) has been completely demolished by fire, and it was stated yesterday that a claim for £75,000 compensation had been lodged on behalf of the company. There were some 400 employés in the factory, both indoor and outdoor, and these are thrown out of work as a result of its destruction.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Three deaths have resulted from the series of incidents in Balbriggan. The names of the dead are:—

Head Constable Burke, R.I.C.

James Lawless, hairdresser.

Joseph Gibbon, dairy proprietor.

The bodies of the two civilians were lying in an outhouse a short distance from the police barracks yesterday, and no arrangements had been made up to last evening for the holding of an inquest.

A number of discharged cartridges were lying about the streets of Balbriggan yesterday morning, and the thoroughfares were strewn with broken bottles and other contents of licensed and grocery premises. Only part of the walls of Connolly's establishment is standing, and a similar remark applies to the premises of Messrs. Derham, McGlew, Landy, and McGowan.

As to what followed the murder of Head Constable Burke, it would appear that there were a number of auxiliary policemen from the camp at Gormanstown in Balbriggan in the course of the evening. It has been customary with these men to arrive in the town at about 7.15 p.m., and to leave again by a train which stops at Gormanstown, at about 10.15 p.m. It is surmised by the townspeople that they conveyed the news to their comrades at Gormanstown Camp. At all events, some time before 11 o'clock a number of motor lorries arrived at Balbriggan from the Gormanstown direction, and pulled up at the Constabulary Barracks.

In the course of the forenoon yesterday Dr. W. Fullam, the Rev. Mr. Jameson, rector; Rev. Canon Eugene Byrne, P.P., and Mr. Lewis Whyte, managing director of the Balbriggan Hosiery Company, left Balbriggan for Dublin with a view to putting the condition of affairs before the authorities at the Castle. The utmost alarm and uneasiness prevailed in the town during the day, and when, at about three o'clock, the arrival of a motor car from the Gormanstown direction was followed by the sounds of shots and explosions resembling those of Mills' bombs, the alarm was greatly intensified. Much praise was given by the townspeople to Dr. Fullam for his conduct during the night and early morning in seeking to prevent the destruction of property, and to succour women and children. Praise was also warmly bestowed upon Constable Magill, R.I.C., who is stationed in the town, for his efforts in the same direction.

Concerning the deaths of the two civilians, very little direct evidence was obtainable. A woman who witnessed the fires from her window stated that at about 9 p.m. she heard two or three shots in Dublin street, and later was told that one man had been killed and another wounded in the bar of Smith's public-house. Some time after 10.30 p.m. she heard further firing and awful noises, accompanied by the sound of heavy motor traffic coming from the direction of Gormanstown. The lorries, about five in number, pulled up in front of the police barrack, and remained there for some time. Some time later she saw men go across to the house of James Lawless, the barber, on the opposite side of the road, and proceed to smash in the windows and doors. The children were screaming and imploring for mercy for a considerable time. Lawless had a wife and nine children. She saw some people come out of the barber's shop, and then the whole place was demolished.

As the people were leaving Lawless's, the men outside kept firing their rifles. The children of Lawless were taken to another house up the street in their night attire. One child was suffering from bronchitis, and was put in bed immediately. The female occupants of Mr. Derham's house also sought refuge elsewhere, the mother and daughter being in a condition of hysteria. The men who brought Lawless's children to another house told the lady at the house that no harm would come to her or to the children. One of these men had blood upon his face. The men left the children at the house, and, after they left, the lady who described the scene said that she heard further rifle firing and voices calling out: "There is another house on fire."

The firing continued all through the night and early morning. When Mr. Derham's family fled from their house, the women were in their night attire. After they left, their house was set on fire. They were among the first to leave Balbriggan early yesterday morning, departing in a motor car. Many of the children leaving Balbriggan were without boots or stockings, and but scantily clad.

Miss Gibbons, sister of John Gibbons, who was shot dead, stated that she lived in a house in Skerries street with an invalid sister and two other women who were on holidays at Balbriggan. The only man in the house was her brother John. At about 1.15 a.m. she heard firing, and following this a loud knocking at her door. She answered the knocking, and uniformed men entered the house, headed by a man, who gave instructions that no property was to be touched and no woman was to be injured. The man called for John Gibbons, and she refused to say whether he was in the house or not. In the meantime all the rooms in the house were searched, and while the search was proceeding her brother appeared and surrendered, stating that his only reason for remaining on the premises was to protect the members of his family. He was taken away, and she was told "that he would be all right." Later on she discovered that he had been shot. He was taken towards the police barracks, and later on the dead body was found near the police barracks.

With regard to James Lawless's death he was stated to have been seen wounded in the head during the attack on his house. Later in the morning, and after his house had been destroyed, his body was found lying unguarded in an outhouse, where it remained throughout the day open to the gaze of all.

SCENES AT THE RAILWAY STATION.

Painful scenes were witnessed at the railway station in Balbriggan during the afternoon and evening. Crowds of men, women, and children were departing from the town, many of the latter being in tears. They were carrying bundles of clothing, boxes, and bags of all sorts. Even the first-class carriages were crowded on the Dublin train as a result of the exodus from the town. It is understood that a subscription list is being opened to aid the sufferers, and that Mr. D. J. Nolan, Balbriggan, has expressed his willingness to act as treasurer for any subscriptions forwarded to him.

The condition of Sergeant Burke, R.I.C., who is in a Dublin hospital, was stated last night to be satisfactory.

Owing to the condition of affairs at Balbriggan yesterday morning work was suspended at the hosiery factory of Messrs. Smyth and Co., Ltd.

FURTHER SHOOTING LAST NIGHT.

A Press Association telegram says that late in the afternoon police drove in motors through the town, discharging rifles and throwing bombs, the latter being thrown in the vicinity of the houses already wrecked. The streets were deserted. There were no casualties.

A report from Drogheda last night stated that the military from Gormanston took charge of Balbriggan last night. Vigorous searches were made in the districts of Laytown and Balbriggan.

DISORDERLY INCIDENTS IN TUAM.

Our Tuam Correspondent states that serious outbreaks of disorder are occurring nightly in the town. On Monday night houses were raided and men connected with the Transport Workers' Union taken from their beds. Mr. J. Higgins, the local secretary was arrested. A man named Kane was, it is stated, violently assaulted, and had subsequently to receive medical treatment. A youth was taken to a potato field and asked to point out where guns were buried. On his disclaiming any knowledge of the whereabouts of the weapons he was beaten with rifle straps, and shots fired after him as he ran home. It is stated that a number of women and children have left the town.

SOLDIERS LEAVE CO. TYRONE DANCE.

A peculiar incident happened in Omagh on Monday night during the course of a weekly dance held in a hall in Bridge street. It appears that several men belonging to the King's Royal Rifles and Inniskilling Fusiliers paid for admission, and the dance had been going on for some time, when a letter was handed in by a boy, or, as another account says, a masked man. It was addressed to the Master of Ceremonies, and was to the effect that "if any English soldier was allowed to dance in the hall drastic steps would be taken." The Master of Ceremonies read the letter, and the soldiers immediately decided that rather than cause any unpleasantness they would leave, which they did.

INCIDENTS IN GALWAY.

HOUSES SEARCHED.

PUBLICAN AND THE POLICE.

Our Galway Correspondent states:—The residents of the Ballinasloe House, Salthill, owned by Mr. Joseph Grehan, Urban Councillor, which was fired into and bombed on Wednesday night of last week, had another trying experience early yesterday morning.

Mrs. Grehan, who was much shaken, said that at one o'clock, when all the inmates were asleep, there was a banging at the door and volleys of shots. Miss Elizabeth Crotty, a relative, came downstairs and admitted the raiders, who were dressed in khaki. A party immediately ran upstairs and entered the bedroom occupied by Mr. Thomas Commins and Mr. Kavanagh, two lodgers. They covered Mr. Commins and Mr. Kavanagh with revolvers while they searched the room, afterwards making them go back to bed at the point of the revolver. They then entered Mrs. Grehan's bedroom, and asked for Mr. Grehan. She said that he was at his sister's, and they searched the room. Going to the rooms on the top storey, they "held up" three girls, assistants, and said that they heard that there were three prominent Sinn Feiners in the house, and asked to be shown where they were. Another party downstairs made Thomas Delaney, a servant boy, put up his hands. They alleged that Delaney did not do so at once, caught him, beat him, pulled him downstairs, and fired revolver shots at him.

Mrs. Grehan stated also that one of the raiders took a melodeon out of a press, and was playing it outside, while another party were looting the shop. Mrs. Grehan states that money and other articles are missing.

All the windows are shattered. The shop window is completely demolished, and bullet holes are through the parlour window and through three bedroom windows, all of which are broken.

The house of Mr. John Lee, P.L.G., publican and grocer, Wood quay, Galway, was visited about one o'clock yesterday morning. Attempts were made to force open the hall door, and this having failed, the shop window shutter was forced open and the glass of the window smashed. Mr. Lee, when questioned, said that not much had been taken. There was also considerable shooting in Dominick street, and the public-house of Mr. James Lee bears evidence of having been attacked.

ALLEGED INTIMIDATION OF PUBLICAN.

Mr. Richard Kearney, grocer and publican, of Lackagh, Tulloughmore, was visited on Monday night by a number of the Auxiliary Police Force from Annagh. He was taken out of his house, and made to go down upon his hands and knees and apologise for refusing to supply drink to the police. He was told that only he was such an old man he would be hanged, as there was a gallows ready at Annagh. If he committed a similar offence again he would be hanged.

HOUSE COMMANDEERED BY POLICE.

Gurthora, Rockbarton, Salthill, the residence of Professor Rishworth, has been taken over by members of the Police Auxiliaries Force.

MILITARY INQUIRY INTO CIVILIAN'S DEATH.

Major Yeldham (President), Captain White, and Captain Young resumed the military inquiry at Renmore Dépôt, Galway, yesterday, into the deaths of Seamus Quirke and John Mulvoy, who were shot at Galway on the night of the 8th inst. No witnesses attended, with the exception of Mr. Charles Burbidge, New Docks, Galway, landlord of the house in which Quirke had lodged.

Mr. Burbidge stated that he saw Quirke alive at 6 p.m. on the 8th inst., and he saw his dead body in the house at 8 a.m. the following morning. Two ladies—a Miss Morley and a Miss Dooley—who were stopping in the house had left, and he did not know their whereabouts. In reply to questions, he said that he was not aware that Kate Early, his servant girl, had been "held up" and intimidated, to prevent her from coming to the inquiry to give evidence.

No evidence was forthcoming as to the death of Mulvoy, and the President said that they would not further adjourn the inquiries.

The court came to the conclusion that both of these men died from bullets, fired by some person or persons unknown.

EXCITING SCENE IN COUNTY LEITRIM TOWN.

HOUSES FIRED INTO.

SHOP ASSISTANTS' EXPERIENCE.

Our Carrick-on-Shannon Correspondent states: Following a display at Carrick-on-Shannon cattle fair on Monday by Volunteers, the people of the town, between three and five o'clock yesterday morning, had a terrible experience. There was continuous rifle fire from a number of armed men, who were disguised and had blackened faces. From the direction of the bridge before any attack was made several shots were heard from men approaching. On arrival at the house of Miss Barrett, where all the shop assistants of Messrs. Barrett and Co.'s establishments reside, shooting began, several bullets passing through the windows. This was followed by a bomb explosion. The door was forced open and three men entered. Mr. McQuillan was on the stair landing partly dressed, having left his room a few moments before. A bomb exploded under his bed, which he had just left, tearing up the floor, and passing downwards did considerable damage to the office of Mr. John A. Pettit, solicitor.

Meanwhile two of the assistants made good their escape. The men then passed on to a room in which three other assistants slept, and they were aroused from their beds and ordered out. Only attired in their night-shirts, they were marched through the streets, and afterwards placed against a wall at the business house of Miss Barrett and threatened to be shot. In a consultation one of the armed men was heard to say that they would not shoot them; "it was enough to have one party of scoundrels engaged at that work." Eventually the two men were put on their knees and made swear that the boycott would be taken off the police.

Mrs. Carthy's drapery establishment was next visited, and two windows were broken, also the fanlight over the shop door.

Some fifteen bullet marks are shown in the windows of the business premises of Mr. John J. Rodden, a Protestant, who carries on a large grocery and hardware trade.

There are bullet marks also in the windows of the offices of Mr. Pettit, and the side office was much damaged.

Mr. Joseph McCormack, D.C., was taken from his lodgings at Mrs. Cox's, Shannon View, and paraded in his night-shirt through the streets. He was compelled to take an oath to remove the boycott from the police. Many families were frightened as a result of the display, and, fearing that their homes were going to be wrecked and burned, took to the back portion, with a view to escaping and saving the young children.

The whole affair has caused much excitement in the town, and hundreds of people from the country viewed the wreckage done in the short time by the disguised men, who are alleged to have been much excited.

DARING SEIZURE OF MAILS.

RAIDS AT CO. WESTMEATH STATION.

Intelligence has reached Athlone (says our Correspondent) that the mail van from Ferbane, on the way to the station was stopped by masked and armed men, and the bags taken. In the first "hold up" the raiders took possession of the Dublin and Portarlington branch mails, and in the second raid, two hours later, the mails for Athlone were taken.

SINN FEIN AND PETTY SESSIONS BUSINESS.

The Carlow Petty Sessions was abandoned yesterday, there being no cases listed.

For the sixth month in succession, there was no case listed for hearing yesterday at the Thomastown Petty Sessions.

Police were present at an Arbitration Court at Loughrea on Monday. They did not interfere, nor was exception taken to their presence.

ENNISKILLEN ROMAN CATHOLIC TRADERS AND BELFAST.

Our Enniskillen Correspondent writes:—The Enniskillen Sinn Feiners recently summoned a meeting of the Roman Catholic traders of Enniskillen to consider what steps would be taken to enforce the boycott of Belfast and the Northern banks. Only two of the traders put in an appearance, and they pointed to the disastrous effects a boycott would have upon their trade. They declined to boycott the banks, and it is understood that the trading boycott of Belfast will only take place where goods can be procured elsewhere at as reasonable prices as in Belfast.

The Council of the League of Nations, says a Paris message of Tuesday's date, at yesterday's meeting, adopted the following resolution regarding Armenia:—"The Council, having regard to the conclusions reached at its April meeting after examination of the proposals of the Allied Supreme Council concerning Armenia, which conclusions were communicated in the memorandum to the Supreme Council, instructs the Secretary-General to inquire in its name from the Supreme Council whether it is desired that any proposals in that memorandum, particularly that relative to the financial guarantee to be given to Armenia by members of the League, should be submitted for the consideration of the Assembly."

SPECIAL EXTRA.

THE CASE OF MR. SHAW.

Writing on September 20th, *The Times'* Peking Correspondent says:—The case of Mr. Shaw is again attracting attention in the Far Eastern Press. Mr. Shaw has been under arrest, and subject to severe treatment, for over two months, but he has not yet been brought before any court, nor has there been any preliminary hearing of the charges against him. The united British Chambers of Commerce in China have made official representations, through the Legation, and everybody wants to know what the British Government are doing about the matter. One newspaper comments:—"There is not the slightest indication of what the British authorities are doing in the case, which contains elements of gross injustice in itself, and, in principle, gravely affects British prestige in the Far East. We protest against the failure of the British Government to secure the surrender of Mr. Shaw in one of their own courts."

THE LORD MAYOR OF CORK.

Mrs. MacSwiney, on leaving Brixton Prison just before 6 o'clock last evening, said the condition of her husband, the Lord Mayor of Cork, was very bad, indeed. He was in great pain, and had not spoken all day. He was, however, still conscious.

It was stated at 10 o'clock last night that the Lord Mayor was in a state of great prostration. He was suffering from severe pain in the head, but was still conscious. The doctor who visited Alderman MacSwiney yesterday advised the relatives not to speak to him or cause him the slightest exertion.

Masses were celebrated for the Lord Mayor of Cork and the other prisoners at Ennis, Londonderry, and Roscommon yesterday.

CLONMEL AND THE PRISONERS.

For the third time Clonmel Guardians adjourned their meeting without transacting their business, as a protest against the treatment of the hunger-striking prisoners, and a resolution was passed expressing appreciation of their heroic stand.

THE HUNGER-STRIKERS IN CORK PRISON.

Our Reporter in Cork, telegraphing last night, says:—The prolonged hunger-strike on the part of eleven prisoners in the local prison here continues to excite much interest. The prisoners, according to the Deputy Lord Mayor, complain of the annoyance caused by visits of people whom they do not know. They wish to be visited only by their relatives and friends, as other visits are a drain on their little remaining strength. In some few cases, it is stated, visitors have used the occasion to seek in the weak condition of the prisoners an opportunity of inducing them to depart from their principles, and take food. It is unnecessary, the Deputy Lord Mayor adds, to comment on the cruelty of such conduct to the men at this hour. It has been arranged that Mass will be celebrated in all the city Roman Catholic churches to-morrow at 12 o'clock for the prisoners on hunger-strike, and all business will be suspended for an hour.

A PRISONER'S NATIONALITY.

In view of the statements published yesterday to the effect that Joseph Kenny, one of the hunger-strikers at Cork Prison, was an American citizen, inquiries were made yesterday and resulted in the following information. On 19th September Mr. Harold Barry, ex-High Sheriff of Cork, called at Cork Prison, and left with the Governor papers which, he said, proved that Kenny was an American citizen. These papers were forwarded to Dublin Castle, and it was found that they consisted simply of a declaration of intention to obtain naturalisation made by Joseph Kenny in Nebraska in 1904. To obtain naturalisation in America two processes are necessary—first of all, the signing of the declaration of intention, and, secondly, the obtaining of a certificate. A period of one year must elapse between the two. This declaration of intention was not sufficient to alter Kenny's British nationality, and he remains a British subject.

THE PRINCE'S TOUR.

TRINIDAD'S INDUSTRIAL FUTURE.

The *Morning Post* Correspondent at Port of Spain on September 20 says:—On Saturday evening the Prince of Wales held a reception for a hundred guests on board H.M.S. Renown. A dance was given, but the evening was marred by unusually persistent heavy rains. To-night His Royal Highness will embark in the light cruiser Calcutta to visit George Town (Demerara), where Tuesday will be spent. The Royal party will return to Trinidad on Thursday.

Trinidad is one of the most interesting British possessions, but it suffers, like many other places in the Atlantic and Pacific, from an inadequate supply of suitable labour. The best here is drawn from India, a third of the population being, in fact, Indian. During a country drive on the day of the Prince's arrival this feature of Trinidad was very marked. It would appear that East Indian labour is progressively displacing the negro, who seems disposed to find more congenial forms of work under the American flag. Indians are better workers, and give promise of improving the development of these invaluable possessions, and possibly industries hitherto unknown here may be introduced.

POLAND AND LITHUANIA.

In a message, dated Warsaw, September 20, *The Times* Correspondent says:—The Polish delegates returned to-day from Kalwaria, where they were unable to come to an agreement with the Lithuanians, and the armistice accordingly terminated yesterday morning. The Lithuanians declared that they had officially no cognisance of the Curzon line. Eventually, however, they agreed to recognise and to retire behind it, but only on condition that the Poles withdrew their troops a proportionate distance from the line they at present occupy. The Polish delegates declined this condition. It seems probable that hostilities will begin again, if not in the Seiny-Suwalki region, then further south. According to trustworthy information, the Bolshevists are concentrating troops behind the screen of Lithuanian troops which occupy the Grodno forts. Also, in accordance with the Treaty signed by the Lithuanians and the Bolshevists, the latter are utilising the railways of Lithuania, and moving troops through Vilna. If fighting occurs between the Bolshevists and the Poles in this region the Lithuanians will virtually be bound to be implicated.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

Mr. William Clark, Director of Vickers, Ltd., and General Manager of their Sheffield Works, was yesterday elected Master Cutler of Sheffield.

A Smyrna telegram states that the British Military Mission is leaving, and that the Greek General Headquarters left for Athens on Monday.

The *London Gazette* announces that Major the Right Hon. Winston Churchill and Captain the Right Hon. Lord Birkenhead, of the Oxfordshire Yeomanry, have been seconded.

According to a message from The Hague, the report that Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of the ex-Kaiser, intended to settle down in Holland, is devoid of all foundation.

Reports from various parts of the country indicate prolific harvests of grain, fodder, and fruit (says a Sydney, New South Wales, telegram).

It is reported from Berne that, in order to counteract the rising prices of meat, the importation of cattle and meat is to be resumed, subject to precautionary restrictions.

The Congress of the Chambers of Commerce of the Empire at Toronto has decided to establish a permanent bureau to standardise information on all colonial methods of valuing imports and exports.

The first Oxford session of the Royal Commissioners inquiring into various matters relating to Oxford and Cambridge Universities was held at Oxford yesterday. Mr. Asquith was Chairman. A number of witnesses was called, but the proceedings were private.

The Seoul Correspondent of the Associated Press, in a message, dated Monday, states that the trial of the men alleged to have conspired with a view to establishing the independence of Korea has been resumed. Seoul, adds the message, is quiet, but the authorities admit considerable unrest north and south of Phyongyang.

Mr. Colby, Secretary of State, says a Washington telegram, has issued a statement to the effect that the United States Government hopes to bring the occupation of Hayti to a close as soon as the benevolent purposes for which it intervened have been achieved. He adds that the work which the United States undertook in Hayti, under Treaty agreement, is nearing completion.

Heavy rain in the morning interfered yesterday with the Air Ministry's competitions at Martlesham Heath Aerodrome, for amphibian seaplanes capable of alighting on and rising from land or water, but in the afternoon the weather conditions improved. The Supermarine undertook her three and a half economy and reliability flight. The Vickers-Viking III. successfully accomplished the test, it being moored out at Felixstowe on the water for twenty-four hours unattended. At noon, on examination, she was found to be quite dry.

The Lord Mayor of Leeds will shortly present the Gallant Conduct Award of the British Industrial "Safety First" Association to James H. Tebbs, a worker at Messrs. Brotherton's ammonia distillery, at Leeds, for his plucky rescue of a fellow workman, who, while repairing the top of an upright boiler, used as a decomposer, was badly gassed and lost consciousness, falling face forward on to the top of the boiler. Tebbs climbed the ladder which the unconscious man had been using, lifted the man's head away from the gas, tied a rope round his body, and lowered him to the ground.

RELIEF OF BELFAST WORKERS.

MEETING IN DUBLIN.

APPEAL BY THE LORD MAYOR.

FUND TO BE OPENED.

ALL SUFFERERS TO BENEFIT.

A meeting of citizens of Dublin, convened by the Lord Mayor, was held yesterday in the Mansion House, for the purpose of raising a fund to help those who have been thrown out of employment, who have been compelled to leave their homes, and who, with their families, have in consequence been reduced to distress by recent events in Belfast, Lisburn, and other places in Ulster.

The Lord Mayor (Alderman L. O'Neill) presided.

Captain Harrison, who, with Mr. W. G. Fallon and Mr. Joseph J. Nagle, acted as Hon. Secretary to the meeting, read a telegram from Belfast, which stated:—

"Expulsions continue. One thousand and five fresh registrations to-day. Plight of girls expelled from warerooms most distressing."

Letters expressing sympathy with the object of the meeting and promising subscriptions were received from The O'Mahony, Messrs. Smith and Co., Balbriggan; Lord Powerscourt, Mr. William Field, Mr. William Boydell, Mr. Edward Lee, and the Recorder of Dublin.

THE LORD MAYOR.

The Lord Mayor said that the object for which they had been called together was a very painful, a delicate and extremely distressing one, and he sincerely trusted that no word would be spoken which would make the situation more distressing than it was at present. The position which had arisen recently in the North of Ireland was not new. It was a very old sore which was periodically re-opened by men in high stations, with the object of having Ireland divided into "sects," "persuasions," or party "sections," for reasons which so long had been obvious, and never more obvious than to-day. Was it not a sad sight to see a small nation like Ireland dishonoured by parochial degradation—a country superior in its fertility, its situation, and in the natural qualities of its people—to see portion of it torn asunder by religious bigotry? But the pity of it all was that the insidious workings of these men in high stations had borne fruit, and that the poor dupes had fallen into the trap of once more igniting the flame of religious bigotry—a bigotry which, he was proud to say, did not, and he hoped never would, pertain to the other parts of Ireland. For his part, if such did happen, he would prefer to see Ireland wiped out of existence than that it should follow in the footsteps of the bigots of Londonderry and Belfast. (Applause.) His action in calling that meeting had been adversely criticised; but his answer to the critics was this: If an earthquake took place in Italy, if a tidal wave made homeless the inhabitants of an American city, or, as had happened, the Germans were once more to destroy the homes of the Belgian people, or if a massacre of Christians took place in a heathen town, it would be considered right by his critics for him to call a meeting of citizens to collect money for the sufferers. Surely it was not a crime for him to ask his fellow-citizens to help the sufferings of their own countrymen and women? (Hear, hear.) The calling of that meeting was not to create bitterness, but to retard it, and was based upon the broadest grounds of humanity and compassion. Therefore, he appealed with equal force to every element and every section of the citizens of Dublin to help him. There was suffering, widespread and acute, in the City of Belfast. There were many thousands homeless and unprovided for. Already thousands of refugees had reached Dublin alone. There were many more scattered throughout the country, and there were amongst the sufferers nearly one thousand ex-soldiers. For the relief of this suffering he appealed for funds, and, with the advice and help of a committee, the money collected would be applied for the relief of all sufferers impartially, and without any regard to any other consideration than the necessities of the sufferers. Dublin had many sufferers of its own, but, to give his fellow-citizens credit, he knew that their charitable disposition was proverbial.

AN EXCEPTIONAL CASE.

But this was a very exceptional case, and the issue was very clear. Did they condone the action of those bigots who had sent so many men, women, and children adrift, their life savings destroyed, their homes burned, run out of their employment, and many of them hungry? Were they going to let these people starve? ("No.") An opportunity was now given, particularly to the monied classes of this country, to show whether they were in favour of continuing religious bigotry or whether they were not. If the citizens of Dublin, and the people of the country generally, rose to the occasion, in his opinion the death knell of religious bigotry would have been sounded, and then, perhaps, after all, out of evil would come good. What Ireland required was a period of repose, an interval in which her people might learn to forget their feuds, to be allowed, without interference, to venerate their God according to their different beliefs, to learn to be reconciled to each other in social and business intercourse, and to act with cordial and generous co-operation with each other for the good of their common country, which, in his opinion, was the most solemn and the most important duty that could engage the feelings and the thoughts of men. (Hear, hear.) The majority of the people longed for the day when strife, pillage, bitterness, and murder should cease, and when all denominations should be allowed to join hands in the demand for the rights which belong to them as a nation. They longed for a truce to be called against religious and political persecutions before it was too late. (Applause.)

THE HIGH SHERIFF.

Dr. McWalter proposed that a fund be opened to relieve the sufferers in Belfast and other Northern districts, and said that Dublin, not for the first time, insisted that no religious or political test should be put to any man who wished to earn his bread. (Applause.) That was a very sound principle to which every man should subscribe, and one which every man ought to be prepared to uphold and defend. It did not always happen to be the same kind of religious or political principle which Dublin sought to uphold. Some 230 years ago Dublin opened wide its gates to the Huguenots, who were expelled from France because they could not accommodate their religious ideas with those prevailing, and that same principle which induced the citizens of Dublin to throw open its gates to the Huguenots, now entitled them to insist that the men in Belfast, who were suffering because they refused to bow their heads to a religious or political creed, should be supported. (Applause.) They proposed to open that fund, he took it, simply from a feeling of humanity to help the outcasts, and he suggested that the fund was purely a humanitarian and charitable fund. They were aware that thousands of men who had served in the late war had been turned out. He had been with men from the Ulster Division in the war, and he had fondly hoped that there was nothing between North and South to prevent a happy and united Ireland in the future. He thought that the day would never come when he would find fellow-Service men turned out of their homes, but, unfortunately, that had come to pass, and it was for those in Dublin to do the best that they could for them. What was more important than the fund was the creating of such a feeling throughout Ireland that those men might be allowed back to their work. (Applause.) To send round the hat ought not to be the only way in which to help these

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RELIEF OF BELFAST WORKERS.

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people; they should create such a feeling in the country as would make it imperative on employers to take back those people, with the assurance of safety in the future. (Applause.) He could recall no occasion before when thousands of young girls were thrown out of their work, but that had happened since this horrible business commenced. He thought that the meeting was prepared also to testify that there was no idea of reprisals in Dublin. (Hear, hear.) He thought that the meeting was prepared also to assure everyone that a Unionist in Dublin was as safe as the best Nationalist. He thought that those people in Belfast who were responsible for the present conditions should be shamed into doing what is right. (Applause.)

MR. CHARLES EASON.

Mr. Charles Eason seconded the motion, and said that he felt that it was a deeply sorrowful motion, and that they could not meet without a sense of shame that it should be necessary to call a meeting of Dublin citizens for such a purpose, but he felt that it was their duty to show their sympathy with the sufferers in those transactions in Belfast. He thought that they should all condemn unreservedly the throwing out of employment on account of their religious beliefs. He did not think that employers had a right to put a question of the kind to their staffs. He had for many years employed persons of all creeds, and they worked together with the utmost friendliness, faithfulness, honour, and integrity. He felt that it would be only right that the Protestants of Dublin should join in the support of those families who were in distress—(hear, hear and applause)—and he heartily agreed with what Dr. McWalter had said, that an impression should be made on the minds of the people of Belfast, so that they might come to realise that their action was not only mistaken and wrong but entirely out of harmony with the Christian religion which they all professed. (Applause.) He seconded the resolution, not as a politician, but as one who desired to see the teaching of Jesus Christ applied to every region of human life, and those teachings were that they were not to have an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth. They regretted retaliation. It was met with retaliation, and the sufferers included persons of all denominations. He denounced crime unreservedly, and condemned the evil passions which led to it. He hoped that the appeal would receive a hearty response.

MR. E. MERCIER.

Mr. Ernest Mercier, Durrow, Queen's County, supporting the motion, said that he was there to testify to the toleration and goodwill of his fellow-countrymen. He was in Belfast a few days ago, and he was not afraid to go back to the South of Ireland. He was a descendant of the Huguenots to whom the High Sheriff had alluded, and he might perhaps claim relationship to the great Cardinal Mercier, whose high spirit and goodwill to all had been revealed during the war. He (Mr. Mercier), too, had that spirit of goodwill and thankfulness to his Roman Catholic fellow-countrymen. He owed more to them than to any other people in the world. He was proud to live among them, and he was glad of this opportunity of saying so. When he heard that this meeting was to be held he thought it his duty, being in Dublin, to attend, for the Lord Mayor was an old friend of his. As representing the Midlands, he would give the object of the meeting his hearty support. He had always felt how awful it was that there should be anything like religious bigotry of any sort in Ireland, and as a Protestant he felt ashamed that any Protestant should show religious bigotry. He felt sorry that it should occur in Belfast or anywhere in Ireland.

ALDERMAN M'DONAGH.

Alderman MacDonagh, in supporting the resolution, said that Dr. McWalter had said that they were there from feelings of humanity, but he thought they were there also for feelings of nationality. He did not mean nationality in any narrow sense—he meant it inasmuch as it was a disgrace to any Irishman, whatever his politics, to victimise any other Irishman simply because he belonged to a different religious creed. In this matter history had been repeated, for some of the older men there would remember that when Thomas Sexton was returned for West Belfast in 1886 the bigots attempted a somewhat similar pogrom. The Catholics and Nationalists of Belfast of that day suffered more or less in silence. It was "up to" the Nationalists and Sinn Feiners of this day to show that they were not going to suffer in silence. (Hear, hear.) If this country were rid of its enemy to-morrow, he was perfectly certain there would be no question of bigotry or intolerance. He could not believe that any Irishman was intolerant. This intolerance had been dinned into their ears from the other side. He blamed Sir Edward Carson less for this intolerance than he blamed Lloyd George and Bonar Law. It was a deliberate attempt on the part of these men to split the Irish nation at a time when Ireland was more united than ever it was before. It was an attempt which, with God's help, was going to fail. (Hear, hear) Continuing, the speaker said that Dr. McWalter had referred to the ex-service men. Dr. McWalter had said that he was astonished that they had been victimised, but he (Alderman MacDonagh) did not think they cared much in Belfast whether these men had bled for small nations in the Great War or whether they had bled for the Irish nation in 1916. Being Catholics, they would be victimised so long as Irishmen kept quiet. The Irish people had, however, decided that so long as this intolerance and bigotry should exist in Belfast the rest of Ireland was not going to have anything to do with Belfast. (Hear, hear.) The boycott was going to be kept up until the other side gave in, for if they were to lie down to the pogromists they would not be worthy to be called Irishmen. (Applause.) This was not merely a religious plot. It was a Government plot, and the Government hoped that what had happened in Belfast would occur in the nature of reprisals in other parts of Ireland. But the rest of Ireland had too wide a vision and saw the case too clearly to make such reprisals a possibility; an Unionist and a Protestant was as secure in the South or West of Ireland as he would be in Sandy row, Belfast. (Hear, hear.) No matter what an Irishman's belief or politics were, so long as he was a decent citizen, he should be allowed to live peaceably in any part of Ireland.

Alderman MacDonagh was proceeding to say that they all saw last week the incident of a gentleman named Hardy, when the Lord Mayor intervened with a sign to the speaker to desist. "Well, we had better go on," said the Alderman, and he proceeded to say that everyone who had any humanity would subscribe to aid the Belfast people in distress, and that a good many of them who were not Catholics had been victimised. There was a committee in Belfast doing everything that was humanly possible and working without regard to politics or creeds, and he hoped that the Dublin people would not fail in subscribing generously to this religious and national cause. (Applause.)

THE EARL OF FINGALL.

The Earl of Fingall supported the resolution, and said that the way in which the Lord Mayor had put the case made it speak for itself, and for his part this movement was one which he most heartily appreciated and would heartily support. Bigotry of any description, whether political or religious, he abhorred. The political aspect was one he had no wish to touch upon. He had simply come looking on it as a matter of humanity, and as such he endorsed every word the Lord Mayor had said. (Applause.)

Mr. Kennedy, of the Dublin Shop Stewards' Association, said that his Association had already sent upwards of £1,300 towards the Belfast Relief Fund, and would continue to support the sufferers. He agreed that the great wrong inflicted on the expelled Belfast workers ought to be remedied. People in Belfast had been starving for ten weeks owing to the trouble, and he suggested that some people who wrote suggestions to the newspapers on the subject of the trouble should go up to Belfast and engage in propaganda work against intolerance. (Applause.) He also thought that the suggested meeting in Belfast should be held in the City Hall.

The Right Hon. Thomas Lough, as an Ulsterman, supported the motion. He said that he had had to make room for a family in his residence, and others in County Cavan had also to make room for families of expelled workers. It had occurred to him that familiarity with these things might tend to blunt one's feelings, and if that happened it would be a great pity. The men who were prevented from attending their work had work waiting for them, and the employers were waiting to take them back, but they were prevented, and one was inclined to ask: "Is there any Government in this country?" (A Voice—"No.") Could these men not be protected in the pursuit of their legal rights? He regretted to say that the answer was as that given by the gentleman who had spoken. He fancied that there was a vast majority of the population of Belfast who deplored the evils which had occurred just as much as those outside it did.

The resolution was passed without dissent.

Alderman Cosgrave proposed that a committee consisting of five, with power to add to their number, be appointed to take charge of the fund and arrange for its disposal. He referred to the large calls on the charity of the people of the country, but this new important work of charity would, he was sure, appeal to all sections.

SIR HORACE PLUNKETT.

The Right Hon. Sir Horace Plunkett seconded the motion appointing a committee to administer the fund, and said that the committee would have an extremely onerous duty to discharge. They would have to get into touch with the people who did the work of distributing the money for them in Belfast. He remembered that when he was first in a position to take part in public work in Ireland he had something to do with a work for the relief of distress on the Western seaboard. A gentleman he met was Mr. James Hack Tuke, who was sent over to distribute a fund. What interested him was the fact that Mr. Tuke had been sent over as far back as the famine 1846-8, and it struck him now that the Society of Friends might give them a good deal of useful information about dealing with a fund of this kind. On behalf of the Committee he had to say that they would do their utmost to get as much money as possible, and to disperse it in accordance with what they knew to be their unanimous wish. On the origin of the causes of this trouble he did not wish to say a word, and would only express his general agreement with those who had said that, after the immediate urgent work of collecting money to meet the present distress, they must all do their best by using whatever influence they possessed to prevent any such terrible events from again darkening their country. (Applause.)

A PROTEST.

Mr. Charles Eason, J.P., who was put on the Committee, said that Alderman MacDonagh had pointedly referred to his statement that all crimes were wrong, and said that the crimes were all on the one side. From that statement he emphatically dissented. When they were considering the raising of a fund for the relief of the Belfast sufferers the question of the boycott had been discussed, and from that, too, he most emphatically dissented.

The Lord Mayor—I presume you will act on the Committee?

Mr. Eason—Certainly.

Mr. Kennedy (from the body of the hall) said that he would suggest that the first meeting of the Committee should be held in the Municipal Hall, Belfast.

Alderman Paul said that if they sent this group of decent, tolerant Protestants to preach toleration in Belfast there would be a rush for their scalps. The boycott must be carried out in Belfast close and stringently.

The Lord Mayor appealed to Alderman Paul not to discuss that matter.

Alderman Paul said that his experience as Chairman of the Markets Committee made him realise that, while they were ready to supply money for Belfast sufferers, the boycott would bring about such a state of affairs as would make Belfast fall into line nationally with the rest of the country.

In putting the motion, the Lord Mayor said that the meeting had been called solely to collect funds to help the sufferers in Belfast, no matter to what religion they belonged. It was not within the province of this Committee to interfere in any way whatsoever to boycott this body or that body. If it were, he certainly would not have called the meeting, and certainly a number among the gentlemen named on the Committee would not act. The Committee was solely to collect funds, solely to help those who were suffering, and when they had done that he thought they would have done a good day's work, and could leave the other matters mentioned to be done by others.

The Committee nominated were:—The Lord Mayor, the High Sheriff, Sir Thomas Myles, Alderman Staines, Mr. Thomas Farren, Sir Horace Plunkett, Mr. Charles Eason, Mr. Blacker Douglas, Sir Nugent Everard, and Mr. Edward Lee.

The motion appointing the Committee was carried.

Mr. Fallon read a generous list of subscriptions.

The Lord Mayor said that it was their intention to appoint a small Committee to call on every merchant in the city. (Applause.)

On the motion of the Right Hon. Thomas Lough, a vote of thanks to the Lord Mayor was adopted, and

The proceedings terminated.

THE ATTENDANCE.

Among those present were:—

Most Rev. Dr. MacRory, Bishop of Down and Connor; Dr. M. F. Cox, Surgeon J. C. MacArdle, Sir Thomas Myles, M.D.; Very Rev. H. G. O'Farrell, O.P., Prior, St. Saviour's; Miss Lucy M. Callanan, Brigadier-General D. T. Hammond, Major H. H. P. Deasy, Sir John Irwin, J.P.; Lieut.-Colonel H. J. A. Davis, M. V. Blacker Douglass, Sir Andrew Horne, M.D.; Mr. J. B. Dunlop, Thomas Davin, E. Lee, Eugene Duffy, B. F. Shields, Very Rev. P. Convery, V.G., St. Paul's, Belfast; Very Rev. William Farrell, Adm.; Rev. K. M. Headley, O.P.; Rev. M. F. Ryan, O.P.; H. D. Black, L. Bourke, R. Hamilton Edwards, S. H. O'Duffy, M. L. Fagan, Ernest Kenny, Miss Oona H. Ball, A. Leigh, Henry Dixon (Messrs. J. Elliott and Sons), Sean O'Mahony, T.C.; E. W. Green, W. P. Robertson, Rev. John Redmond, Patrick M'Kenna, Streamstown; Joseph Hutchinson, General Secretary, I.N.F.; C. Monks, Rev. Father Stafford Lucan; Michael Byrne, G. M'Cabe, Rev. J. Callaghan, M. Cahill, Miss Caitlin Ni Fionnain, Dr. C. M. O'Brien, T. J. Doyle, Alderman Thomas Lawlor, Alderman William O'Brien, M. L. Callan, J. Conry, E. M'Cabe, G. O'Daly, B. M'Guinness, Rev. T. P. O'Byrne, P.P.; Captain Stephen Gwynn, Miss Vera Dockrell, M. Conway, J. J. Cantwell, Joseph Sheerin, W. Larkin, John J. White, Hugh Coyle, Dr. W. Lombard Murphy, Michael Conway, J. M. Connelly, Lisburn; Patrick Skelly, Colonel Sir Nugent Everard, R. Noel Mitchell, James Moran, J.P., T.C.; E. A. Aston, John L. Esmonde, Dr. Kerr, Belfast; Joseph Duffy, A. Meehan, F. J. Greene, P. Semple, Rev. P. Flanagan, C.C.; Rev. F. Farrington, C.C.; Mrs. and Miss Cantwell, T. J. Rogan, Very Rev. Father Devlin, O.C.C.; W. G. Price, J. Richardson, J. G. Kelly, J. D. Nugent, Miss Annie Mangan, R. J. Kelly, K.C.; E. M'Carthy, Mrs. Kelly, Thomas H. Kelly, Rev. T. W. O'Ryan, Denis C. Whelan, M. J. Power, James Keown, M. D. Hickie, S. Eastwood, Rev. Thomas A. Reynolds, O.D.C.; Rev. J. J. O'Connor, C.C., etc.

A HOME-MADE GREY HAIR REMEDY.

You Can Make at Home a Better Grey Hair Remedy Than you Can Buy.

Grey streaked or faded hair is not only unbecoming, but unnecessary. You can darken it without using a dye.

Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will restore the original colour to grey hair. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, ¼ ounce of glycerine, and a small box of Orlex Compound. These ingredients can be bought at any Chemist's at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a grey haired person look twenty years younger. It is not a dye, it does not colour the most delicate scalp, is not greasy, and does not rub off. It will promote the growth of the hair, remove dandruff, and make harsh hair soft and glossy.—(Advt.)

THE BELFAST DISORDERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The assumption that sectarian intolerance has been the reason for the expulsion of Roman Catholic operatives from workyards in the North of Ireland is not borne out by the available evidence. The test seems to have been loyalty to the British Government, and even this test was not sought to be applied till the hostility of Northern Unionists had been roused by the flagrant outrages on loyalists in the South and West. Until these unhappy events occurred the Protestant and Roman Catholic operatives appear to have worked amicably together for a considerable period, which negatives the assumption of sectarianism.

If the appeal for funds were made solely on charitable grounds, to help fellow-creatures in distress, and without importing sectarian and political bitterness, it would, doubtless, receive a large response.—Yours, etc.,

"FAIR PLAY."

Co. Tipperary, September 20th, 1920.

BOYLE PROTESTANTS AND BELFAST.

The Protestant community in Boyle, comprising the leading traders and residents, at a meeting under the presidency of Archdeacon Wagner deprecated the sectarian bigotry recently displayed in the North of Ireland. They were unanimous in holding that no man should be penalised on account of his religious or political views, and they testified to the kindness and good-will shown at all times by the Roman Catholics to their Protestant neighbours.

SUBSCRIPTION LIST OPENED AT OLDCASTLE.

At a meeting of the Protestants of Oldcastle and district a resolution was passed condemning the acts of bigotry in Belfast, and tendering sympathy to those Roman Catholics and Protestants in Belfast who had been deprived of their livelihood. The resolution also stated that they had always lived in harmony with the Roman Catholics in that district. A subscription list was opened on behalf of those of all denominations who had suffered in Belfast.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The General Committee of Management, which supervises the business of the Home Mission, Chapel, Education, and Supernumerary Funds in the intervals between one conference and another, met yesterday morning in St. Stephen's Green Church, Dublin, Rev. Henry Shire, Vice-President of the Conference, in the chair. Rev. James M. Alley acted as Secretary. Letters of sympathy were directed to be sent to the widow and family of the late Rev. W. A. Bracken and the Rev. Stewart Smith. A committee was appointed to consider the best way of commemorating the memory of the late Rev. W. A. Bracken. A conversation took place as to the best way of helping the Home Mission Fund, and it was decided to encourage some circuits to make an effort to increase the ministerial incomes. Rev. F. E. Harte, M.A., presented an encouraging report of the Chapel Fund. The Chairman of the Derry district was authorised to visit Londonderry in the interests of Clooney Hall. At the last Conference there were 37 removals, against 68 the previous year, and costing £252 8s. 6d., against £416 7s. 11d. in 1919. Grants towards furniture and repairs were passed to various circuits.

It was reported that the expenditure of the Orphan Society was £1,734, against an income of £1,600. Seven orphans were placed on the pay list of the Society. Permission was given for the sale of Carrick-on-Shannon Chapel, and for the sale of the chapel at Hacketstown. The report of the Supernumerary Ministers Fund was presented by Rev. J. W. Parkhill, Rev. Dr. Park, and Mr. R. D. Booth, J.P. The report on General Education was submitted by Rev. W. H. Smyth, M.A., and Rev. R. Lee Cole, B.D. The report was satisfactory.

BELFAST COURTMARTIAL.

SCENE AT A MINERAL WATER FACTORY.

A district courtmartial was held in Victoria Barracks, Belfast, yesterday, for the purpose of trying an ex-soldier named Cornelius Brady, of 16 Keegan street, Belfast, who was charged under the Defence of the Realm Act with carrying a revolver not under effective military control. The accused pleaded "not guilty."

The first witness called was the works manager of a mineral water factory in Eliza street. He told how, about 5 o'clock on the afternoon of the 25th August, accused came to the factory, and said—"There are a number of gentlemen at the gate who want to see you." Witness replied—"I need no hands at present; I have enough workers." Accused retorted—"I am no hand. I have two hands." He then pulled a revolver from his coat pocket, and putting it against witness's chest, said—"Clear out of the firm or this is what you will get." Witness replied that accused had better go out of that, or he would have him removed, and called to one of the clerks to 'phone for the police. This seemed to annoy the accused, who again presented the revolver at witness's chest. Witness seized accused by the shoulder and closed with him. Accused struck witness on the head with his fist, and then some of his companions came into the factory.

The court ruled against evidence of what occurred afterwards, the President remarking that accused was not charged with assault, and they were only there to hear evidence on the charge of having firearms.

The prosecutor did not press the point, and witness, proceeding, stated that after some of the workers had come to his assistance accused and his companions walked out of the gate. A few minutes afterwards witness went with the managing director of the firm to the entrance gate. Accused, who was standing at the corner six or seven yards away, threw two large stones at them. Witness later identified accused from among seven or eight other men in Chichester street Police Station.

Answering Mr. Reid, who appeared for the accused, witness said that a number of the workers saw the person who interviewed him inside the factory. None of them were present that day.

Can you suggest any reason why this man should make an attack on you as you have described? asked Mr. Reid.

Witness replied that a certain number of their Protestant workers had been threatened by the people in the district, and had to leave their work. He further stated that these Protestant workers had not returned to their work and their places had been filled by workers who were not Protestants. He did not know that accused was a Roman Catholic, though he might have suspected it.

The President said that such matters were not helping the Court in the slightest.

Re-examined by the prosecutor, witness said that he was not responsible for the fact that there were none of the men who were with accused on this occasion charged. The matter was in the hands of the police. Witness knew for a fact that efforts had been made to get other witnesses present, but they had expressed themselves as being too frightened to appear.

The managing director of the mineral water firm stated that when he went to the entrance gate with the previous witness he saw a man on the opposite side of the street. The man resembled the accused, but witness could not conscientiously say it was he. The man picked up a large stone and threw it in their direction.

Answering Mr. Reid, witness said that when he first saw the works manager he appeared to be nervy and excited.

The Prosecutor said that most of the rows in Belfast were not Sinn Fein rows, but arose between different religious denominations. Several people who had witnessed the scene were reluctant to come forward to give evidence.

The accused, in a statement, asserted that he had never been in this mineral water factory in his life. The last firearms that he had he left behind him at Messines Ridge.

The Court found the accused not guilty, and he was discharged from custody.

ENGLISH ARBORICULTURAL SOCIETY.

PAPER BY PROFESSOR HENRY.

Professor A. Henry, of Dublin, and Mr. A. C. Forbes (Assistant Commissioner of the Forestry Commission in Ireland) were among those present at the annual gathering of the Royal English Arboricultural Society, which has just been held in the Lake district.

Professor Henry, who is known the world over as one of our most eminent authorities on forestry and arboriculture, participated in the gathering with his wonted enthusiasm, and almost youthful activity, climbing steep rocky banks and negotiating difficult woods and plantations with the greatest ease. His explanations of various trees were, as usual, followed with keen interest, and he dealt with the properties of trees (æsthetic, healthful, and commercial), their suitability for this or that climate or soil, and all the other details connected with them, with all his characteristic charm and lucidity.

Sir John Stirling Maxwell paid a compliment to the great work of Professor Henry. Sir John is a member of the Forestry Commission, and he remarked that whatever superstructure had to be built now by the Commission, it most assuredly would be built on the foundations which had been laid by men of science like Dr. Henry, and on the work of men like Lord Selborne.

Many interesting discussions took place, and Dr. Henry raised an important question as to the value of Japanese larch for pitwood, urging that some authoritative information should be forthcoming on this point. Dr. Henry also gave a lecture on "Trees," which was illustrated by lantern slides, and was followed with close attention by a large and distinguished audience.

Colonel Courthope, M.P., on relinquishing the Presidency of the Society after two years' notable work, insisted on the urgent need for well-informed public opinion on the subject of forestry at this important time in its history. The war, he said, had taught many lessons with regard to timber and timber supplies, but there was a vast body of the British public outside upon whom the forestry of the future must depend who knew nothing about it, and were only just beginning to care anything about it. It was very difficult to inform the House of Commons, as was revealed in the discussions on the Forestry Act. On the exceedingly technical question of the taxation of woodlands, ignorance was perfectly appalling, and any suggestion by the forestry world would be condemned as an attempt to give doles to the landlord, when, as a matter of fact, it would be an attempt to prevent disaster to forestry in general.

The Earl of Selborne was elected President of the Society in succession to Colonel Courthope, M.P., and the Earl of Plymouth was elected Vice-President.

ELECTRIC RAILWAYS.

NORTH-EASTERN'S IMPORTANT PROPOSALS.

The electrification of short lengths of railways, especially in suburban areas, proceeds apace. The advantages of the substitution of electricity for steam, as motor power, especially in districts where the density of traffic makes the possibility desirable and remunerative, is not being overlooked by the Ministry of Transport. The Chief Engineer of the North-Eastern Railway Company (Sir Eric Geddes's old line) has recently paid a special visit to America to investigate the situation there, and the company has already considered plans for electrifying the important line of traffic between Newcastle and York. The pressure of war traffic between the minefields of Durham and the blasting furnaces of Teeside proved the value of the electrified railroad for heavy freight traffic between Shildon and Stockton-on-Tees.

A strong Departmental Committee has reported unanimously to the Minister of Transport its decision that there should be a standardisation of electrical equipment for the future of railways, and that the old battle of gauges and brakes, one system having one kind of gauge and another system another, should not be allowed to be waged over electrical developments.

GERMANY'S DARK PROSPECTS.

An Exchange Berlin telegram states:—Herr Urbig, one of Germany's three delegates at the Brussels Conference says in the *National Zeitung* that Germany will not put forward a precise programme, but will emphasise the necessity that the amount of the indemnity should be definitely fixed now. They do not visit Brussels with great expectations. On the whole, Germany's prospects are dark.

SOLDIERS AND A KINGSTOWN TRAIN.

In virtue of an alleged agreement between the railway company and the military authorities, a Dublin and South Eastern Railway guard refused to travel with more than thirty soldiers, who had arrived at the Carlisle Pier, Kingstown, by yesterday morning's mail boat. About sixty soldiers had boarded the train, which was the Great Southern and Western to Kingsbridge. Half the military were destined for Limerick, and the others were *en route* for the Curragh. The guard declined to start the train with more than thirty soldiers, and the departure was delayed half an hour, until an arrangement was come to by which the Limerick detachment travelled by the first train, and the remaining soldiers were conveyed to Westland row in the second pier train. From Westland row they crossed the city to Kingsbridge Station and proceeded to the Curragh.

ROSSE COLLEGE, STEPHEN'S GREEN.
Successes at recent examinations:—Pitman's Shorthand, July, 1920 (50 to 120 words a minute), 59 certificates; Society of Arts, May, 1920 (Book-keeping and Typewriting), Stage II., 26 certificates; Stage I., 14 certificates.—(Advt.)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

REPEAL OF THE UNION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—As a basis for the settlement of the Irish question why not adopt the solution arrived at by the Hungarians, as described by Mr. Arthur Griffith in his now famous booklet, "The Resurrection of Hungary?" In this case Hungary was acknowledged a separate kingdom, the Emperor of Austria being King of Hungary.

This solution would appear to suit all parties of moderate Imperialism, and could not be repudiated by Sinn Fein in the face of the aforesaid booklet, issued from their headquarters by their Acting President.—Yours, etc.,

"PONS ASINORUM."

Co. Wexford, September 20th, 1920.

AN IRISH SETTLEMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I appealed through your paper to the people of Roscommon to hold a monster meeting of protest against the awful crimes committed throughout the country, and endeavour to find a way to peace. My appeal has met with sympathy, but not with help. I am met on all sides by the answer—"We want peace, but the British Government is too dishonest, and Lloyd George too great a trickster, for any of us to make any move. Let Lloyd George deliver his goods, and we shall tell him whether we are buyers. We want none of his goods at present, and are prepared to wait and suffer every inconvenience till he offers us something that meets our requirements." In such circumstances it is useless to call any real meeting, but later on something might be done by the Peace Committee in instructing Mr. Lloyd George as to our wants and our determination to get them, even by the very class he pretends he is trying to serve.—Yours, etc.,

O'CONOR DON.

Clonalis, Castlerea, September 20th, 1920.

GERMANY AND FRANCE IN 1875.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In your issue of the 18th inst., the reviewer of M. Lévy's book on the Treaty of Versailles refers to the attempt of Bismarck in 1875 to renew the attack on France. In his Memoirs de Blowitz gives a very full account of Germany's intentions. Bismarck was not consulted by the War Lords until about the eleventh hour, when he indirectly allowed the information to reach the French Ambassador at Berlin, who immediately advised the French Foreign Secretary. De Blowitz was consulted, and an arrangement was made with him to get *The Times* to expose the intentions of Germany. The narrative given so fully by de Blowitz clears Bismarck from any complicity.

I should be glad to know of the authority for stating that Bismarck took any part in contemplating the attack on France in 1875.—Yours etc.,

T. SINTON.

24 Edenvale road, Dublin,
September 21st, 1920.

MUSIC IN DUBLIN

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In your leader to-day, "Music in Dublin," you express the hope that I "will organise another series of Sunday evening concerts at the Abbey Theatre this year." No, sir, I will not. I am glad to say that the newly-formed Irish Music League has made it unnecessary for me to do anything except pay my subscription to it, and sit in my seat at the Abbey Theatre on Sunday evenings, from October onwards, and enjoy the same kind of music as was heard at the concerts I arranged last winter.

This is only one branch of the League's activities. Its views as to the state of music in Ireland, its musical ambitions for Ireland, are exactly those expressed in your admirable article, and Ireland—if it is really as musical as it says it is, and if it really wants to hear more and better music—needs only to support the League in order to get, musically, everything it desires.—Yours, etc.,

LENNOX ROBINSON.

The Abbey Theatre, Dublin,
September 20th, 1920.

TRADERS' RAILWAY TICKETS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—We were glad to observe by your issue of the 18th inst. that the Irish Cattle Traders' and Stockholders' Association had taken action in regard to the enormous increases in the price of traders' railway tickets which have just recently come into force. We would like, however, to point out that the position is not quite as indicated in their statement. The facts are that the Irish railway companies have been asked to submit a scheme to the Ministry of Transport whereby a deficit at the rate of £2,200,000 for 15 months would be raised in 11 months. They did so, pointing out that, owing to possible falling off in traffic, it would be desirable to budget to raise a sum of £3,903,460, and they suggested *inter alia* increases in passenger fares and rates for season and traders' tickets of 100 *per cent.* This scheme was submitted to a body called the Rates Advisory Committee, which was understood to be formed for the protection of the public. The Committee, in their reports dated 23rd and 30th July, 1920 (price 2d. each), recommended that traders' tickets should not be issued at rates less than the ordinary season ticket rates by more than 20 *per cent.*, a season ticket being apparently based on more or less daily travelling.

Take the writer's own case. He had a ticket expiring on the 31st August which cost £11 13s. 9d. *per* year. Based on traffic and number of tickets taken, that would now be raised to £57 10s., although the railway companies only asked that it be increased by 100 *per cent.*, or about £17 15s. There have been a very large number of similar traders' tickets taken out in Ireland, especially among the cattle trade and the larger commercial firms. The new scale means that it will hit trade, commerce, and fairs very severely, and that, as in our own case, such tickets will not be taken out in future. As it is the Rates Advisory Committee who have, without hearing proper evidence from Ireland, made the change, the proper course is to approach them again, and to ask for support from the Irish railway companies in doing so.—Yours etc.

JOSEPH SHAW AND SON.

Mullingar, September 21st, 1920.

THE MIDDLE CLASSES' UNION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I trust that you will afford me space to reply to the letter of "Civis" in your issue of the 17th inst. It was not possible to deal with the letter earlier, as I received the paper only to-day. Having been out of Ireland and on holidays for the past few weeks, I am unable to discuss the article and letter to which your correspondent refers, but I desire to inform him that, through our efforts, several firms have agreed to grant a reduction in the price of their goods when supplied to members of the Union. Pressure for time and the difficulty of getting a committee meeting together in the months when so many are absent at the seaside have caused delay in obtaining the necessary approval of what I have effected. But what has been done goes at least a good way to disprove the statement of "Civis" that the Union has not been a success; for, without its influence, the special terms could not have been secured. I hope, after returning to Dublin, to call a committee meeting and obtain approval of the steps taken and terms offered.

The name "Middle Classes' Union" is, I agree, an unfortunate one. But all that I can say is that, if people do not care to put their absurd pride in their pocket, then the pocket must suffer, and they deserve the fleecing that they get.—Yours etc.,

E. J. MALLINS, Honorary Secretary,
Dublin and Central Ireland
Branch, Middle Classes' Union.

St. James' Rectory, Innerleithen, N.B.,
September 20th, 1920.

BUBONIC PLAGUE IN PARIS.

OUTBREAK ON THE WANE.

The outbreak of bubonic plague in Paris now seems to be distinctly on the wane, says a Reuter's telegram. For the past three months isolated cases have appeared in virtually all the districts of Paris. A few fresh cases occurred in the early days of this month, but for the first half of September the number of cases was decidedly below the number for the corresponding period in July and August. There has been in no sense an epidemic, it being exceedingly rare for two cases to occur at the same time in the same neighbourhood. The victims have nearly all been rag-pickers, or men employed in unloading barges on the Seine and the canals. It is thought that the plague was brought to Paris by rats from these barges. In all, there have not been more than 50 cases, and only 12 deaths. The comparatively small number of fatal cases is due partly to the fact that the outbreak was of bubonic, and not of pneumonic plague, and also that in a centre like Paris highly skilled medical assistance, coupled with modern sanitary conditions, greatly lessens the danger and prevents any spread of the disease such as might be feared in Eastern countries. Medical opinion considers the present outbreak of plague much less to be feared than the terrible outbreak of influenza last year, when the number of deaths was very considerable.

The Emergency Committee of the Federation of Master Cotton Spinners, at a meeting yesterday in Manchester, decided to call a meeting shortly to consider the question of taking united action in the event of the dispute at Oldham not having terminated. The strike at Oldham, which involves 40,000 operatives, centres around the question of creelers in the mule spinning rooms.

CIVIL SERVICE (RECONSTRUCTION).
Latest Successes from SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin:—INDIAN POLICE (July): Messrs. H. E. Bruce, A. F. Elliott, R. Higgins, J. S. Smith. CUSTOMS AND EXCISE (May): Messrs. D. McElvilly, G. B. Warren. WOMAN CLERKS (July): Misses S. Clinch, E. Malone.—(Advt.)

Fashionable Intelligence

The Duke and Duchess of Abercorn have left London for Edinburgh, where they will spend a few days.

The Duchess of Marlborough has left London for Paris.

The Earl and Countess of Albemarle have returned to London from France, where they have been making a brief stay.

The Earl and Countess of Huntingdon and Viscount Hastings are visiting the Earl and Countess of Kilmorey at Mourne Park, Co. Down.

The Earl of Scarbrough has returned to London from Lumley Castle, Durham.

Lord Glentanar, who recently arrived from Canada, has left for Glentanar, his place in the Highlands.

The marriage arranged between Captain T. P. Sheehan, D.I., R.I.C., and Miss Emylie Reid has taken place quietly at Waterford.

Mr. R. V. Slattery, F.R.C.S.I., has left 75 Merrion square for America for some weeks.

Dr. Alfred Smith has returned to 30 Merrion square.

Dr. Speares has left 17 Lower Fitzwilliam street until the 28th inst.

Dr. P. Loy, 10 Upper Fitzwilliam street, has left for America for some weeks.

Madame Doyle has returned to 18 Wicklow street from Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Switzer have returned from Paris to 88 Grafton street with the Latest Fashions.

Magnificent Collection of New Autumn Wraps and Coats in Wool Velours and Chiffon Velours, in Castor, Beaver, Rust, Copper, Blue, Browns, trimmed Fashionable Furs—At Holmes', George's street.

Lamps and Shades in great variety.—Lambert Brien and Co., Ltd., 64 Grafton st., Dublin.

Navy serge coat frock, tailor-made, with strappings of braid, for 9½ guineas at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers:—Rev. M. F. Boylan, Rev. T. H. Seale, Dr. Mitchell, Rev. J. A. Moran, Mather Culgan, Major Elgee, Hon. H. Thellusson, Major and Mrs. Conan, Lord Ashtown, Mr. and Mrs. H. O'Connell Fitzsimons, Mr. and Mrs. S. Walsh, George Cashel, M. J. Boylan, R. Mooney, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pemberton, John Forrest, H. G. Ellerker, E. O'Connell, Mr. and Mrs. H. Goodville, H. G. Goodville, A. J. Simpson, C. K. Brown, G. L. Le St. George, A. M. Dillon, F. M. Dodd, R. Dodd, R. M'K. Waters, Thomas E. Brindley, William Mackie, Miss G. L. Pigott, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Offer, W. H. Wollen, E. and R. Woot, D. D. Tate, J. Irvine, L. De Groot, Miss Sibthorpe, Mrs. and Miss Merryn, Miss R. Wiley, Mrs. Simpson, Miss Howard Sands, Miss E. O'Connell, Mrs. A. M. Seale, Miss Olive Kinahan, Miss G. Price, Miss H. Bracken, Mrs. J. J. Ryan.

Departures from Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers:—Major E. C. Phelan, General and Mrs. Wellesley, Major Humphries, Dr. D. P. McGrath, Captain and Mrs. T. D. Fraser, Mr. and Lady Mary Corbally, Dr. D. H. Foley, Dr. and Miss W. A. Wright, Rev. P. Homan Callaghan, Captain and Mrs. M'Auley and son; Lady Duffy, Lord Bective, Admiral Sir E. S. Poe and Master Kelly, Lady Esme Gordon Lennox, Lady Millicent Taylour, T. G. Hughes, James Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. John Budds, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fitzgerald, Mr. Wellesley, Mr. and Mrs. H. Day, Henry Dawson, W. T. Kennan, J.P.; C. H. Dracon, D. J. Esmonde, A. E. Murray, John Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery-Moore, R. V. Stoney, Mr. and Mrs. Townley, C. MacDermott, Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick, Mr. and Mrs. Lyon and Miss Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kavanagh, Messrs. A. and E. Irwin, W. H. Ryan, A. Ennis Boyd, C. Corrigan, P. T. Beasley, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Murphy, P. S. Stephens, E. Stephens, E. Knapp, J. R. Quirke, J. C. Wharton, N. A. Kinnear, D. J. Armstrong, D. J. Cantwell, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Clayton, R. Crawford Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. G. Murphy, P. O'Gorman, H. S. Hanna, C. Bell, D. Shanahan, the Misses Woulfe Flanagan, Mrs. P. E. Lorn, Mrs. A. W. Irwin, Miss Wellesley, Miss Meynell, Miss Mildred M'Cleane, Mrs. Spencer Dawson, the Misses Cape, Miss E. Falconer, Miss Browne, Mrs. Tindal, Mrs. W. A. Cherry, Mrs. Leonard Hacking, Mrs. and the Misses Browning, Miss E. M'Gonigal, Misses A. Scott, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Pallin, Miss Littledale, the Misses V. B. T. Coghlan, Miss N. Kennedy, Miss G. M'Cormick, Miss P. Holmes, Mrs. Guirke, the Misses Murphy and Miss Sherlock, Miss Fitzsimons, Miss Comerford, Miss C. Davis, the Misses Clarke, James H. McLoughlin, J. J. Clarke, W. Sandow, Mr. and Mrs. O'Donel.

McBirney and Co. are showing Latest Styles in Fur Wraps, Stoles, and Capes, Skunk, Sable Fox, Sable Wallaby, Cross Fox, etc.

D. Vard (late of Switzer's), High-Class Furrier, 24 Grafton street, Dublin.

Smart moderately-priced Millinery.—M. Cathcart, 26 Dawson street.

To LADIES—Elastic Stockings, Belts, and Medical Appliances. Special department for ladies on 1st floor. Female attendant.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton st.

New Autumn Goods.—Gowns, Costumes, Millinery, and Sports Coats. Prices strictly moderate.—Davis and Co. (late Ogilvy's), 45 Grafton street.

Lafutaye, 17a Dawson st.—Latest Costumes and Ladies' Coats for autumn wear. Moderate prices.

"Spirella Corsets."—The Spirella Corset Parlour, 45 Grafton street, Dublin.

STATE OF THE IRISH CROPS.

The following report on the condition of the Irish crops on the 1st September is issued by the Department of Agriculture:—Two long spells of unusually wet weather—one in early spring, the other about mid-summer—were not without their effect upon crops this season. The exceptionally heavy rainfall of the early part of the year interfered with all field work and delayed the sowing and planting of crops. The second wet spell set in at the close of June and lasted right through July. Coming as it did in conjunction with an unusually low temperature, this wet, cold spell checked the development and retarded the ripening of most field crops. On the other hand, it favoured an enormous growth of weeds, which have been very troublesome, particularly in the case of potato and root crops. The wet weather, too, made the cleaning of fields difficult, interfered with spraying operations, and encouraged the early and rapid spread of potato blight, so that the disease made considerable headway this year in all parts of the country. The improvement in weather conditions which fortunately took place early in August has rendered prospects much more hopeful, especially in the case of root crops. These made but poor growth earlier in the season, but have progressed well during the last few weeks. Cereal crops have been slow in ripening; the yield of grain is not likely to be heavy nor the straw quite up to average. Barley seems, on the whole, to show the best results. The yield per acre of sound potatoes will not be heavy, owing to lateness in planting, unfavourable weather conditions, and the unusual prevalence of blight. The quality of tubers, too, is below average, as a rule, and many are reported to be black and diseased. Hay has been everywhere an abundant crop, but the wet weather in June and July greatly interfered with hay-making, and also injured the quality to some extent. Nevertheless, a good supply of fair quality hay is likely to be available. Pastures have been well covered, and a good supply of grass has been maintained, so that stock of all kinds are reported to be in a satisfactory condition.

Winter wheat promises, on the whole, a satisfactory yield, especially in Leinster and Connacht; in the other two provinces the yield of grain is expected to be on the light side; the grain did not fill well, and there is an undue proportion of "blind" ears in some cases. Growth has been backward in parts of the West and North, and many fields are still uncut. Elsewhere good progress has been made with harvesting operations, and a fair proportion of the crop has been cut and stooked and in a few instances already threshed. In spite of unfavourable weather, there was little complaint of lodging, but damage by birds is reported from several counties.

Spring wheat is reported from all quarters as disappointing, being late in ripening and thin and patchy in growth. The yield is everywhere expected to be below average, with the single exception of County Mayo, where an average yield is hoped for.

The oat crop in most parts of the country has been somewhat late in ripening, and harvesting operations have been correspondingly delayed. Nevertheless, a good proportion of the crop in the earlier districts, particularly in Leinster and the South, was already cut by 1st September. As a rule, there was no excessive amount of lodging, but complaints on this score were received from Limerick, Tipperary, Meath, and Westmeath, where oats were reported to be badly lodged and tangled on rich, heavy land. Oats after lea have generally proved to be better than after manure. The straw in most places will be rather short. The yield of grain is likely to be very variable, both in regard to bulk and quality.

Barley, though rather late this year, is expected to show a good average yield in most places. Much of the crop still remains to be cut, but harvesting has begun in the more forward districts, and where the sowings were done in good time.

Rye promises fairly well on the whole, but has been slow in ripening, and a good proportion still remains to be cut.

Pulling of flax has practically finished, and most of the crop is already retted and stooked. Reports from Ulster state that the crop is very variable, some fields being described as very good, others fair, and others again as "scarcely worth pulling." In County Londonderry the crop promises well, and in County Cavan it is reported to be much better than last year. In County Cork, too, the flax crop is expected to mark an improvement on that of last season; in County Wexford it is stated to be very good, and in County Louth a fair average. The area under flax this year in County Mayo is said to be double that of last season, and the crop is reported to be a great success.

The general tone of the reports on the potato crop is gloomy, and yields in general promise to be below the average, both in bulk and quality. The causes assigned for this are lateness in planting, and the excessive rains in July, which favoured the growth of weeds and the rapid spread of blight, while at the same time greatly interfering with spraying operations. Complaints of damage from blight are general, and even where not actually diseased, tubers are often reported as very small. There have also been a large number of "misses," due, principally, it is said, to the cut seed having been left lying too long before planting. On the other hand, it is reported that where potatoes were planted early and were well sprayed a satisfactory crop is expected, as in such cases a strong growth was maintained long after the tops of other potato crops had withered and decayed.

Mangels made little growth in July and early August, but have come on well since then, although many fields are foul with weeds, which made enormous headway during the wet weather. The crop is expected to be only fair in most places, and the yield will scarcely be up to average, though warm weather for the next month or so would improve prospects considerably.

The turnip crop is likely to be below the average in most parts of the country. But little growth was made early in the season, owing to dry, cold weather and the attacks of fly, and very many fields had to be re-sown. Later on came a period of excessive rain, which retarded development, and fostered the growth of weeds. During the past few weeks, however, a marked improvement has taken place, and hopes of a fair yield are entertained in some districts, especially should September and October prove to be favourable.

The hay crop has been abundant in practically all parts of the country, but there was difficulty in getting it saved in anything like good order. The heavy rains in June and July greatly hampered hay-making, and tended to injure the quality of the crop, which was frequently over-ripe when actually cut. Nevertheless, in spite of many difficulties, the bulk has been saved in fairly good order, and, though there may be but little hay which can be described as of really first-class quality, there is also but little which can be classed as really bad. In most places the crop has bulked heavy, and will leave a fair surplus available: some reports state that there was considerable shrinkage owing to the effects of the prevailing wet weather making the grass unusually soft. The area of grass kept for saving seed this year is reported to be less than usual.

Pastures grazed well during the summer, and still carry plenty of grass for stock. The quality of the herbage suffered somewhat during the wet weather in July and August in districts where the soil is cold and heavy, but it has greatly improved during the past couple of weeks, thanks to the setting in of a spell of warmer weather.

Live stock seem to be in good condition, and healthy on the whole. There is a good demand for springers and forward stores, which are fetching high prices. Fat sheep and lambs are also selling well, but a fall in the price of young pigs is reported from some counties. The price of horses has also declined.

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED HEAVY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Stocks opened easy, and specialities fell 1 to 3 points under bear selling and the weakness of sterling exchange. Kelly Springfield Tyre fell 7 points on rumours that the new financing will compel a dividend cut. The market subsequently rallied on buying of low-priced Railroads. Mexican Petroleum recovered 6 points on a continuance of the recent buying and the large acquisition of oil lands, but the market reacted on realising and bear selling. Following the passing of the Central Leather quarterly dividend, due to the depression in the industry, Central Leather fell four points. Mexican Petroleum lost its advance, and Motors were affected by the reduction in Ford Motor prices. The closing was heavy.

CLOSING PRICES.

Eng. Parity.	STOCKS.	Closing Bid Prices Mon	Tues.	Business Done H.	L.
150⅛	U.S. New 4% Loan	105¾	105¼	—	—
120⅞	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	84½	84⅞	—	—
108⅞	Do. Preference	76½	76	—	—
120⅞	Do. 4% Con. Bonds	84½	84	—	—
62⅛	Baltimore & Ohio	44	43⅜	—	—
173⅛	Canadian Pacific	121⅜	121⅝	—	—
93⅞	Chesap'ke Ohio Com.	66	65⅞	—	—
53⅞	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul	38¾	37½	—	—
107⅞	Chicago & N.-West.	74¾	75	—	—
150⅞	Do. Preferred	105	105	—	—
39⅞	Erie 1st Preferred	27	27½	—	—
69	Do. 4% Gl. Lien Bds.	48	48½	—	—
113⅛	Gt. Northern Pref.	79⅝	79	—	—
128	Illinois Central	89	89½	—	—
70⅞	Lehigh Valley	49	49⅞	—	—
146⅞	Louisville & Nashville	102¼	102½	—	—
10	Miss'ri, Kan, & Texas	6½	7	—	—
54⅞	Do. 2nd Mt. 4% Gd. B	38	38	—	—
39⅞	Missouri Pacific New	27½	27¾	—	—
11⅞	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf	14*	8¼	—	—
7⅞	Do. 2nd Pref.	6½*	5	—	—
108⅞	N.Y. Cll. & Hudson R	76	76	—	—
136⅞	Norfolk & Westn. Com.	95	95	—	—
113⅞	Northern Pacific Com	80½	79	—	—
30⅞	Ontario & Western	21¼	21½	—	—
60⅞	Pennsylvania Shares	42½	42¾	—	—
134⅞	Reading Shares	94½	94	—	—
61⅞	Do. 1st Preferred	46	43	—	—
115⅞	Do. 4% Mt. Bonds	80½	80½	—	—
42	Southern Railway	29⅝	29½	—	—
138⅞	Southern Pacific	97¼	96¾	—	—
53⅞	Texas & Pacific	37½	37½	—	—
176⅞	Union Pacific	123¾	123	—	—
93⅞	Do. Pref.	65¾	65½	—	—
114⅞	Do. 4% Bonds	80⅜	80¼	—	—
16	Wabash Common	10¾	11¼	—	—
43	Do. Preferred A	29½	30	—	—
89⅞	Amr.Smlt.Refin.Com.	63¼	62¼	—	—
77⅞	Anaconda Copper	54¼	54⅛	—	—
17⅞	British-American Tob	12½	12½	—	—
114⅞	N.Y. Cons. Gas	80	80	—	—
205⅞	General Electric	143	143¼	—	—
129⅞	U.S. Steel Common	90⅛	90⅛	—	—
150⅞	Do. 1st Preferred	105¾	105½	—	—
131⅞	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	91½	91¼	—	—
—	Silver, Foreign Mined	94½	94¼	—	—
—	Do. (U.S. mined) Ref	99½	99½	—	—
143⅞	Anglo-French 5% Loan	100	100	—	—
34⅞	Inter. M.M.Com.Cts.	24½	24¾	—	—
110⅞	Do. Prefd. Certs	78¾	77¾	—	—
122⅞	Royal Dutch Oil	86¼	85½	—	—
76⅞	Shell Transport	53½	53¾	—	—
278⅞	Mexican Petroleum	190½	194½	—	—
134	Pan-American Pet.	94¾	93¾	—	—

* Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Bid. § Ex rights.

	Monday.	Tuesday.
Call Money	7a.	6b. 7a.
Ex. on Lond'n, 60 days' sight	3.47.00	3.43.87½
Ex. on Lond'n, Demand Bills	3.51.50	3.48.37½
Cable Transfers	3.52.25	3.49.12½
Ex on Montreal	3.00.50	3.86.25
Cotton, Middling, Upland	31.00	31.00
Do. New Orleans, Middl'g	28.00	28.00
Cotton Seed Oil, P. Summer, Yellow Spot	14.20	13.90
Cotton Seed Oil, Yellow, Jan.	13.98	13.61
Petroleum, Refined, in cases	26.50	26.50
Do. Standard, White	24.50	24.50
Do. Philadelph., Stan. do.	24.50	24.50
Do. Pennsylvania, Crude	6.10	6.10
Spirits of Turpentine	147	146
Do. Savannah	135½—136	136½
Lard, Prime Western Steam	21.70	21.00
Do. Midland West	21.30—40	20.60—70
Tallow, Special	11½	11¼
Sugar, 96 Test, Centrifugal	10.78	10.78
Corn, Western, No. 2 Mixed	Nom.	Nom.
Wheat, No. 2 Hard Winter	275	268
Do. No. 2 Red. Winter	275	268
Do. No. 2 Mixed Durum	276	267
Coffee, Rio No. 7	8¼	8¼
Flour, Spring Clears	10.25—11.25	10.25—11.25
Iron, No. 2 North'n. Foundry	50—51	50.00—51
Tin, Straits	44.75	44.25
Zinc, East St. Louis	7.82½	7.82½
Electrolytic Copper, Spot	18½—19	18½—19
Do. do. Futures, July	18½—19	18½—19
Freight, Heavy Grain, to U. Kingdom, per quarter	10/0	10/0
Freight, Heavy Grain, to Continent, per quarter	35—40c.	35—40c.
Freight, Cotton, to Liverpool (high density)	180	180
Do. Standard (per 100lbs.)	205	205
Resin, Grade K	11.50	11.50
Do. Grade F		11.50

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, TUESDAY.

WHEAT on spot weak, with winters 7c. and mixed Durum 9c. lower. Export engagements—Wheat, 65 boatloads. Receipts—Atlantic 1,911,000, last year 775,000; clearances 340,000, last year 229,000.

FLOUR barely steady.

CORN on spot dull and nominal. Ten boatloads of rye were taken to-day for export. Receipts—Atlantic 53,000, last year 16,000; clearances nil, last year nil.

LARD—Cash weak at 70 points decline.

COFFEE opened firm, 12 to 34 points up. The market closed steady at 17 to 28 points rise. Spot steady and unchanged, December, 8.20; January, 8.38; March, 8.75; May, 9.02; July, 9.19.

SUGAR—Spot steady. Futures steady, 5 points up to 5 down. October, 9.60; December, 9.50; January, 9.18; March, 9.10; May, 9.15.

COTTON opened steady, 17 to 8 points up. The market closed easy, with near months 5 down to 5 up, and positions far ahead 25 to 57 points lower. Spot quiet and unchanged. New Orleans spot unaltered. Receipts—Atlantic, 9,000; Gulf, 25,000. Exports—Britain, nil; Continent, 3,000. September, 29.25; October, 28.75; November, 27.15; December, 26.10; January, 24.85; February, 24.40; March, 24.05; April, 23.65; May, 23.38; June, 22.95; July, 22.48.

PETROLEUM steady.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat weak, 2½c. lower; No. 2 hard winter, 242.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat weak and 5c. lower; No. 2 red winter, 258.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat weak at 14½c. fall; No. 1 Northern spring, 245½.

WINNIPEG—Wheat opened easy, ½c. to ⅛c. lower, and further declined, closing weak at 9½c. to 6½c. fall. October, 256; December, 240½. Oats easy and 2c. lower. October, 73.

CHICAGO, TUESDAY.

WHEAT opened barely steady, ½c. down to unchanged. The market closed easy, 7½c. to 8½c. down. Spot weak. No. 2 hard winter, spot, 244½; No. 3 hard winter, spot, 242½. December, 232; March, 226½.

CORN opened easy at ½c. fall. The market closed barely steady at 1¼c. to 2½c. decline. No. 2 mixed, spot, 122½; September, 123¾; December, 105½; May, 104½.

OATS weak at 2½c. to 2¾c. fall, September, 56½; December, 59½; May, 63¼.

PROVISIONS opened easy, and declined. The market closed weak, with lard 70 to 112½, pork 100 to 125, and ribs 50 to 60 points down. Lard—September, 19.95; October, 19.97½; January, 17.90. Pork—September, 25.00; October, 25.00. Ribs—September, 17.20; October, 17.20.

BACON weak, 50 to 87½ points down.

HOGS weak, with light 40 to 25, and heavy 25 points cheaper.

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ANNIVERSARY OF ITALIAN ENTRY INTO ROME.

The fiftieth anniversary of the Italian entry into Rome was celebrated on Sunday. It is estimated that 100,000 persons took part in the procession, in which representatives of a number of municipalities carried flags and were accompanied by bands. There were prolonged cheers for the King and the House of Savoy. In the evening, public buildings were illuminated, and there was another imposing procession of various societies, characterised by patriotic demonstrations. The occasion was celebrated in like manner throughout the provinces.

LABRADOR BOUNDARIES.

TERRITORY OF 120,000 SQUARE MILES IN DISPUTE.

A matter affecting the future control and development of a territory as large as the United Kingdom is coming before the Privy Council very shortly in the form of a "reference" from the Governments of Newfoundland and Quebec.

The history of the affair is interesting. In the eighteenth century, when Newfoundland was already an important Colony, and Quebec was only a small French settlement, Labrador formed part of the then French Canadian territory. With the conquest of Canada, Labrador passed into the possession of the British, and in 1759 the Imperial Government annexed Labrador to Newfoundland, from which Colony it is divided by the Straits of Belle Isle.

In 1773 it was temporarily re-annexed to Quebec, passed again into Newfoundland's possession in 1809, and finally, in 1876, the coastal portion of Labrador, from the Straits of Belle Isle away to Hudson Strait (a stretch of 600 miles, with an estimated area of 120,000 square miles), was erected into a Dependency of Newfoundland under Letters Patent, and the remainder of the peninsula was annexed to Quebec. The coast line was thus secured to Newfoundland and the hinterland to Quebec, but the boundary between the two has never been clearly defined.

During the last century this undefined boundary was a matter of comparatively little interest to either Newfoundland or Quebec, but in recent years Labrador has acquired a new importance owing to the proved existence of minerals and the increased value of the territory's immense resources in timber and water power. The Governments of Newfoundland and Quebec have, therefore, agreed to ask the Privy Council to pronounce an interpretation of the "Statutes, Proclamations, and Orders in Council" of the Imperial Government relating to this matter, and when this interpretation has been received it will be for the two Governments concerned to proceed with the work of delimiting the boundary between their respective territories.

WILL OF LADY FITZGEORGE.

Lady (Sofia Jane) FitzGeorge, of 20 Eccleston square, London, S.W., the wife of Rear-Admiral Sir Adolphus Augustus Frederick FitzGeorge (second son of the late Duke of Cambridge), left unsettled property of the gross value of £2,915, with net personalty £2,800. Lady FitzGeorge directed that her remains should be cremated, and the ashes deposited in the vault, above ground, where the remains of the Duke of Cambridge were placed.

Amongst numerous bequests, she left to her niece, Iris Balfour, a bracelet, which was the first present given by the Duke of Cambridge to his wife, Mrs. FitzGeorge; to Dr. A. T. B. Gavin, a ring, formerly belonging to the late Duke of Cambridge; to her nephew, George FitzGeorge, a chain purse, also at one time owned by the late Duke; to her son-in-law, Robert Charlton Lane, a pearl pin, formerly belonging to the Duchess of Gloucester; to Jessie Norfolk, a pearl brooch, also formerly owned by the Duchess of Gloucester; and a bracelet—given to her by the Duchess of Cambridge—and certain diamond ornaments upon trust for her daughter, Olga Lane, for life, with remainder to her granddaughter, Alice Lane.

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AEROPLANE FALLS NEAR ATHLONE.

Our Athlone Correspondent telegraphs:—An aeroplane which fell at Golden Island, Athlone, was so damaged that it could not be raised. It was destroyed on the spot by the military. The pilot was slightly injured in the mishap.

A POISON "JOKE."

Thomas Stopher, ship's steward, of Chipley street, New Cross, was charged at Greenwich with administering and causing to be taken a certain poison to Charles Kempster, of Milton Court road, with intent to murder, and, further, with burglary at the latter address.

Stopher is alleged to have broken into Kempster's house, where he had previously lodged, and among other things smeared rat poison on sandwiches which had been prepared by Kempster to take with him to his work next morning, and when partially consumed caused him to be ill.

A statement which the police said had been made voluntarily by the prisoner was now put in to the effect that the man admitted breaking into the house, stealing some money, and placing rat poison into Kempster's tea and on his sandwiches. Subsequently, he alleged, he told Kempster's wife what he had done, adding, "it is only a joke."

Kempster, who was recalled, now said he wanted the case withdrawn, as they often played jokes on each other.

Stopher was committed for trial on all the charges.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

FUNDS IRREGULAR. GREAT NORTHERN RAILS WEAK. LOCAL MARKETS ALL WEAKER.

The whole local market on 'Change yesterday was dull and often easier, with no sign of business recovery or briskness owing to existing causes for caution and uneasiness. Government Funds were dealt in to a considerable extent and irregular fluctuations were shown. Banks eased slightly where business was done. Guinness Ord. turned dull again, but the Pref. and Dunville shares received support. Steam securities were again neglected, and Marconi shares were easier, but very few changed hands. Great Northern Rails were flat, and all others idle and dull. Dunlop issues were still rather sellers in anticipation of the closing of the list for new shares this week. Parent Tyres were rather more offered. Coats eased, while both Tobacco and Oil shares gave way in answer to quotations from the other side.

There was a fair business in Government Funds. War Loan 5 p.c. rose 1-16 to 84⅝, Funding Loan ⅛ to 67¼, and Irish Land 3 p.c. ¼ to 50½, after being 50¾ also. Consols gave way 1-16 to 45⅝, and India 3½ p.c. 11-16 to 51 1-16.

Banks eased a trifle. Hibernians receded 1-16 to 5 5-16, Nationals 1-16 to 15 11-16, and Provincial Old ⅛ to 19 1-16.

In Breweries and Distilleries, Dunvilles rose ¼ to 11½ for an exceptional lot, and Guinness Pref 1-16 to 9¼, but ditto Ord. fell ¼ to 31¼ perhaps bid at the close.

In Marconis, the Ord. fell 6d. to 55s.

The only transaction in Home Rails was in Great Northern Ord., which fell 1¼ to 53.

Trams were unaltered. Dunlops remain rather sellers for the time being. Parent Tyre Ord. fell 6d. to 21s. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were unchanged at 32s. 31s. 9d., but the "Letters" quoted 1d. and ½d. against 3d. to 2d. the previous day

In Bakery shares, Bolands Debs. rose 1-16 to 6, and in Drapery shares Arnott Ord. again realised 5¼.

As regards Manufacturing shares, Coats fell 6d. to 53s. 3d., while the "B" Pref. at 19s. 6d. were steady. Helys Pref. fell 3d. to 14s. 3d. for a small lot

Trading, etc., issues were neglected and featureless.

In other business done Imperial Tobacco fell 1s. to 50s. 6d., Mexican Eagle 1-16 to 11 1-16, and the Pref. realised 11¼. Shells declined ⅛ to 7 11-16-½.

IRISH BANKS RATE.

Discount .... 7½%, April 20, 1920.
Deposit .... 3½%, April 20, 1920.

BUSINESS DONE:—

Consols	......(45 11-16) 45⅝	G.N. Rail Ord.	..(54¼) 53
5% War Ln.	..(84 9-16) 84⅝	Parent Tyre Ord.	(21/6) 21/-
Do. Deed	......(84½) 84½	Dunlops	......(32/-) 31/9
Funding Loan	..(66¾) 67¼	Do. "Letters"	....1d-½d
5½% Exch. Bonds	...*97½	Bolands Debs.	.....(5¾) 6
2¾% Land Stk.	.(51½) 51½	Johnston Debs.	...(6¼) 6¼
3% Land Act.	(50¾) 50⅞-½	Coats	..........(53/9) 53/3
India 3½% Stock	....51 1-16	Do. B Pref.	.(19/6) 19/6
Hibernian Bank	.(5⅜) 5 5-16	Hely's Pref.	.(14/6) *14/3
National	....(15¾) 15 11-16	Dublin Art. Dwellings	(6⅞) 6⅞
Provincial	..(19 3-16) 19⅛	Imp. Tob.	...(51/6) 50/6
Dunville	......(11) *11½	Irish Nat. Assur.	.....18/-
Guinness	......(31½) 31¼	Mex. E. Ord.	.(11¾) 11 1-16
Do. Pref.	......(9 3-16) 9¼	Do. Pref.	.........11¼
Marconi	....(55/6) *55/-	Shells	.........(7⅞) 7 11-16-½
Provincial Trams	(16/-) 16/-		

*Odd lot.

(Last business done given in parentheses.)

A CHEERFUL CLOSE.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

The Stock market opened calmly and firm, succeeded later by a somewhat pronounced wave of pessimism, which, in its turn, speedily gave way to a brighter tone, the close being moderately cheerful. Gilt-edged stocks generally were dull, the 5 p.c. War Loan again being an infirm security. Other War Stocks inclined to the heavy side, including the 3½ p.c. War Loan and the Funding Loan and Victory Bonds. Almost without exception, Corporation Stocks, where changed, moved downward, the result of the recent Five Towns' issue being regarded as unsatisfactory. Of the Brighton issue 44 per cent. has been left with the underwriters, while only 9 per cent. of the Swansea issue was covered by public subscriptions. In the cases of Bristol, Portsmouth, and Plymouth, the underwriters, it is understood, have to take between 80 and 90 per cent. of the total amount. Home Rails were again in fairly good fettle, many gains of ¼ to ½ being marked, though, strangely enough, Underground Electric Stocks, which had been prominent for days before, did not participate.

LONDON STOCKS QUIETLY STEADY.

COAL STRIKE FEARS.

A restricted volume of business was noticeable on the Stock Exchange yesterday. Coal influences were paramount throughout, and, though there were still optimists who saw signs of hope in the reported divisions of opinion among the miners, most members thought there was now little chance of a strike being avoided. There was little selling, however, and, while the prospective damage to trade and business throughout the country by the strike is fully realised, Throgmorton street, on the other hand, is drawing comfort from the fact that the Government is at last making a steady stand against the extremists. This undoubtedly has reinforced the undertone, and prevented anything in the nature of a landslide in prices. Among Gilt-edged Securities the sagging tendency of War Fives persisted, and the quotation closed ⅛ down at 84 1-16. Miscellaneous gilt-edged issues were adversely affected by the poor result of the quintuple Municipal Loan, rather over 90 p.c. of which has been left with the underwriters. The various Scrips were 1¼ to 2 dis. Colonial Loans were about the same.

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FOREIGN BONDS QUIET.—In the Foreign market general business was small on both local and Continental account. French Fives further reacted 2½ to 51. The terms of the New 6 p.c. Conversion Loan about meet expectations, but to-day weakness of the franc was an adverse factor. The Fours were back to 40¼. Russians were still being marked down, and Egyptians were flabby. Japanese Bonds showed renewed strength with the dollar. The 4½ p.c. were as high as 107. Chinese Bonds had a fairly firm undertone. There was little doing in the South American group. Mexicans were still awaiting a fresh lead.

Changes—Rises—German Threes, 1-16 to 6 1-16; Japan 4½ p.c., 2 to 107; do. 4 p.c., 1 to 81½. Falls—French Loan, 2½ to 51; Russian Fours, 1 to 16¼.

HOME RAILS INACTIVE.—Home Rails did not move much, prices being inclined to see-saw within narrow limits. The undertone of the market kept stable, despite the course of coal events.

Change—Rise—Great Northern Pref., 1 to 43½.

CANADIANS AND MEXICANS STEADY.—Canadian Pacific were about a dollar higher at 171 on the improved exchange value of the dollar, but light selling of Grand Trunks continued and found prices soft. The Senior Prefs. were finally ½ to 1 down. Mexican Rails showed a forward tendency at the opening, but, in the absence of sustained support sagged off again, and closed unchanged. There was some further advances of ½ among Argentine Rails, which finished steadily at the rise. Brazilian Rails were quiet.

INDUSTRIALS GENERALLY DULL, WITH BRIGHT SPOTS.

INSURANCES BETTER—A. BAKER IN DEMAND—DUNLOPS FLAT.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Depression prevailed in the Miscellaneous and Industrial market yesterday, and business was in smaller volume as compared with the opening day of the week. Business in the Iron and Steel section was small, and inclined to centre in one or two issues which has been singled out for attention. South Durham Steel came in for some steady bidding, which gave the quotation a fillip to 3½ bid from the overnight level of 3. Bolckow Vaughan were in request, improving to 24s. 6d., and Armstrongs stiffened to 25s. 3d. ex div. Swan Hunters were a firm market at 40s., but Vickers were dull at 22s. 9d., or a net 3d. easier. Guest Keen 2nd Pref. looked a little harder at 17s. 6d.; the Ord. were unchanged at 42s. 6d. Coal Stocks were quietly firm, with no quotable alterations, and Gas Securities were similarly without interest, save for a decline of 2 in Gas Light and Coke 3½ p.c. maximum Stock at 40½. Attention was again attracted to Insurance shares, among which movements were uniformly upwards on the prevailing impression regarding the increasing business being done. Royal Exchange put on 5 points to 385, making 15 points since the opening of the week. But for the rest it was noticeable that only those issues which had not been included in the general marking-up on Monday showed improvements yesterday. Thus London and Scottish at 3¾ were ¼ better than last week's price, and London and Lancashire Fire were similarly ¼ higher at 10½. Eagle Star and British Dominions put on ¼ at 14½. Commercial Union were ½ better at 26½. Phœnix and Phœnix Pelican at 9 were each ⅛ up. Elsewhere prices were maintained. Uncertainty returned to subdue the speculative element in the market, and Dunlops lacked support in consequence. The price of the shares finished 1s. down at 31s. ex rights, while the Letters were freely obtainable at 1d. Oilcakes were quiet, with little business passing. The price closed 3d. easier on balance at 41s. 9d. Cements eased to 26s. 9d. Raphael Tuck lost 1-16 at 1 1-16. Parent Tyre Def. were down ⅛ at 2⅛, but British Aluminium at 1-16 showed improvement. Lever Bros. Pref. and "A" Pref. hardened to 18s. 9d. and 20s. 9d. respectively. Prices were lowered in several instances among Motor shares, which are again experiencing some depression. Harper Bean were notably flat at 5s. 6d. after being 4s. 6d., and the Pref. only 6s. 6d. Austin 10 p.c. Pref. Ord. were also reduced to 6s. 6d. Darracq were 1-16 easier at 1 1-16, and Napier 1-16 lower at 1-16. Vauxhall were dull at 14s. 3d., or 3d. easier, but Sunbeam at 20s. were no worse, and Rolls Royce kept steady at 1½. Textiles were a dull market, with Courtaulds easier at 6⅛, and Spinners 1-16 worse off at 2½. Amalgamated Cottons shed 6d. at 24s. 6d., and John Wood eased 3d. to 21s. 9d. J. Barker were 6d. lower among Stores at 33s. 6d. ex div. Maypoles were easier at 11s. 9d. Aerated Bread at 1 13-16 showed a decline of 1-16. On renewed rumours of absorption A. Baker jumped to 27s., thereby providing the only bright spot among Tobacco issues, which otherwise showed a tendency to react further. Imperials were 6d. easier at 49s. 6d., and B.A.T. were offered at 3½. Garland Steamship (the B.A.T. offshoot) were dealt in about par. Shipping shares were inclined to go better again, P. and O. Def. advancing another 5 to 420, and Cunards closing 6d. better at 24s. 6d. Furness Withy were not so good at 30s. Pan De Azucar Nitrate lost ½ at 16. Bays eased 1-16 to 6⅛ in the Land section, and Barclay Perkins Pref. lost 1-16 at 3⅞ among Breweries. African and Eastern Trading were a good market up to 3 5-16. Hartlepool Paper were marked up to 24s. on the interim div. at the rate of 12½ p.c., in addition to the bonus issue of one in three.

MINING MARKET UNDECIDED.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Indecision marked the opening of the Stock Exchange yesterday. Everyone was waiting for the outcome of the further meeting of the Miners' Executive, and when it became known that the delegates had adopted an uncompromising attitude uncertainty developed into dulness, and prices generally fell away. The Mining markets were affected with all other departments; indeed, the Kaffir section had to withstand the additional adverse influences of persistent selling of favourites from Paris. Later the French capital became less aggressive, and attempts to purchase from the centre met with a cold reception, so that the tone here became firmer. Some of the earlier losses were wiped out, but it was only in exceptional cases that improvements were substituted, and at the close the market could only be described as dull. Rand Mines recovered, and East Rand were a good spot on reported favourable developments, but the other changes were irregular and unimportant. There was very little life in the Rhodesian department, but Chartered managed to add a trifle to the overnight's quotation; the other movements were downward. In the Diamond section, De Beers were heavily offered from Paris in the morning, but rallied later, and left off unchanged on the day. Jagersfontein, however, moved down. Tins were almost entirely neglected, and not a single quotable alteration could be recorded among Nigerian issues. Renong, however, were wanted, and Tehidy Minerals strengthened, but Killifreth relapsed on the publication of the proposals for the increase of capital. A couple of West African Gold Shares improved; but in the Australian section Barriers were dull under the lead of Props. The Hampton group was firm at the opening, but relapsed later. Horseshoes were unaffected by the news of the destruction by fire of the assay office, the damage being covered by insurance, while the Ivanhoe dividend of 1s. 6d. had no influence on the shares. Among Coppers, Tintos jumped about a good deal, but closed lower. In the Miscellaneous department the extraordinary values disclosed by latest developments in the Esperanza kept these shares well to the front, and as the result of a big business they left off higher. El Oro, in sympathy, recovered sharply; and other Silver Shares were harder.

OIL SHARE MARKET SMALL.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Markets opened quietly yesterday, awaiting further developments in the coal situation. Business was small practically all round, and in the Oil Share market transactions were on a very limited scale during the early hours, prices in the morning showing very little variation from those ruling overnight. Soon after midday, however, further heavy selling was encountered of Paris favourites, such as Shells, Royal Dutch, and Mexican Eagles, while it was also understood that Brussels was offering some heavy lines through Paris. The sales from the Continent depressed prices rather severely, but the stock coming on the market was well taken, and later when Paris operators endeavoured to buy back they found great difficulty in replacing the shares sold earlier, the change of sentiment being quickly reflected in rising prices here. On balance, the questions of the leading shares showed very little change. Mexican Eagles, for instance, after having been down to 11 1-16, rallied to 11¼, at which a small gain was recorded. Shells dipped to 7 11-16, and recovered to the overnight level of 7 13-16, and Royal Dutch, which at one time were no better than 71½, improved later to 74, which left them appreciably higher on the day. Burmahs gave way at one time, but recovered later. Indo-Burmas continued to display firmness on the latest news from the property, and a quiet demand arose for British Borneos, which were quoted higher. Apart from the leaders and a few specialities, there was not a great deal of interest shown in the market. A steady business was done in Trinidad issues, and the whole group kept firm. Trinidad Leaseholds came in favour, and improved. Apex Trinidad and Centrals maintained their recent advance, and closed steady and unchanged. The only quotable change among Russians was a shrinkage in North Caucasian. Closing prices:—

Anglo-American	6	6⅛	−1-16
Anglo-Bulgarian	4/6	5/6	
Anglo-Egyptian "B"	2½	3	
Anglo-Maikop	4/6	5/6	
Anglo-Persian 8 p.c. Pref.	21/3	22/3	−3d.
Anglo-United	1	1⅛	
Apex Trinidad	1⅝	1⅝	
Assam	1½	2⅛	
Atlantic Oil Syndicate	4/0	5/0	
Black Sea Amalgamated (10/-)	2/0	3/0	
British Borneo Petroleum	1	1⅛	+1-16
British Burmah Petroleum	1⅛	1½	
British Controlled Pref.	14/9	15/3	
British Motor Spirit	11/9	12/9	−1/0
Burmah	8⅛	8¼	
Caltex Oil ($1)	9/9	10/3	
Chijoles Oil	⅛	⅜	
Copan Oilfields (5/-)	4/0	5/0	
Cyprus Oil Trust	2/0	3/0	
Dacia Romano Pet. Synd.	1⅛	1¼	
Eagle Transport Pref.	5⅛	5⅛	
English Oilfields	1⅛	1⅛	
Gemzah Oil Reefs	1	1¼	
Globe Oilfields	⅜	⅝	
Havana Oil	2/6	3/0	
Indo Burma Oilfields	18/0	18/6	
Kern River	31/0	32/0	
Lobitos	4⅜	4½	
Maikop Taman	20/0	21/0	
Maisels Petroleum Trust	1-16	⅛	
Mexican Eagle Ord.	11	11 1-16	+1-16
Mexican Eagle Pref.	11⅛	11⅜	
National Petroleum	4/0	5/0	
New Schibaieff	⅛	¼	
North Caucasian	1⅛	1¼	−1-16
Oilfields Finance	7/9	8/3	
Oilfields of England	½	⅝	
Oil Trust	1/10½	2/1½	
Peru Syndicate	9/0	10/0	−9d.
Phœnix Oil	1/3	/9 dis.	
Premier Oil (15/- share)	4/9	5/3	
Rumanian Cons.	21/0	21/6	−6d.
Royal Dutch	73½	74½	+1½
Scottish-American	27/9	28/3	
Shell Transport	7⅝	7⅞	
" " Pref.	8⅛	8⅜	
Spies	9/9	10/3	
Tampico Panuco Pref.	4/10½	5/4½	+1½d.
Tankers Pref.	18/3	18/9	−3d.
Transvaal Oil Shale	9/0	10/0	
Trinidad Central	5	5⅛	
Trinidad Dominion	5/6	6/0	
Trinidad Leaseholds	3⅛	3⅜	+1-16
United British of Trinidad	1⅛	2⅛	
Ural Caspian	1⅛	1⅜	
Uros Oilfields	1	1⅛	
Venezuelan Oil Concessions	3⅜	3⅝	

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RUBBER SHARES FLAT.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

Rubber Shares had another depressing day upon a further ½d. drop in the price of the commodity to 1s. 5½d. per lb. Anglo-Dutch were no better than 43s. 9d., and Anglo-Malay weakened to 35s. Bah Lias offered at 36s. 6d., while Langen Java eased 1-16 to 36s. 3d. In the Floriner section Bertam Consols were quoted x.r., finishing 6s., and Eastern Sumatra weakened to 2s. 3d., while Sumatra Para offered at 5s. 4½d.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments:—

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	45 11-16-⅝	French Loan	50-2-2½
Funding L'n	67-¼	Irish Land 3%	50-2
Victory Bds	74¾-5+⅛	do. 2¾%	46⅞-⅞
War Ln 3½%	81⅜-⅝	India 3%	43-4
do. 4½%	77¾-8⅛	do. 3½%	51¼-¾
do. 5%	84⅛-⅜-⅛		
do. 4%	94⅞-⅝*		

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Can. Pacific	170-2+1	B.Ayres Gt.S.	72-3+⅛
Grand Trunk	4⅛-⅞	B-Ayres Pac.	57¾-8⅛
do. 4% Guar.	55-8	B.Ayres & W.	72-3
do. 1st Pref.	41⅛-2⅛	Cen. Arg'tine	63⅝-4⅛+⅛
do. 2nd Prf.	29⅜-30⅜-⅜	Cen. Urug'y	60⅛-2⅛
do. 3rd Pref.	12-⅜	Entre Rios	31-3-1
do. 4% Deb.	53-7	do. 1st Pref.	60-62
do. 5½% 3y nts	98-9	Mex. Nat. 1st	15-17
Antofa Ord.	66-8	Mex. Nat. 2nd Pf.	7½-8½
do. Def.	122-4	Mex. Rails	19-20
Argen. G. W.	55-7	do. 8 p.c. Pf.	44-6
Armavir To'ps	15-20	do. 6 p.c. Pf.	29-31
Bahia Blanca	52-4*	San Paulo Or.	141-3
do. 4½ 2nd Db.	53-5*	Un. Havana	83-4
Brazil Rail	2⅝-3⅛		

* Ex-dividend.

TELEGRAPHS.

A.-Amer.D.	17-⅛	Marconi Can.	10/3-11/3+0/6
Marconi Ord.	2 3-16-⅜	do. Amer.	30/6-31/6
do. Pref	2⅛-⅜	do. Spanish	10/6-11/6
do. Marine	1⅛-⅜*		

MISCELLANEOUS.

Aerated Bread	1⅞-⅞-1-16	J. Brown	1⅛-⅜
Armstrong	24/6-5/6xd-0/6	do. (15/pd)	⅞-⅞
A.P.Cement	26/6-7/6	Im. Tobac. Or	49/3-50/3
do. Pref	13/9-14/9	Lipton	25/0-5/9
Aboukir Land	1⅛-⅜-⅛	do. Pref	13/0-14/0
Arg'nt.N'n.Ld.	1⅛-⅝	Lyons	4⅛-⅜
do. South. Ld.	1⅜-⅝	Lovell Ch'mas	5⅛-⅜
Anglo-Arg. 1st	3-⅛	Lagunas	29/0-31/0-0/6
Allsopp Ord.	55-65	Lautaro Nit	13-14
do. 5% Pref	58-63	Liverpool Nit	4-⅛
Alby Uni'd	5/0-5/9-/1½	London Nit	2⅛-⅜
Anglo-Chili'n	14-15	Maple	2⅛-⅛
do. Pref	14-15	Magadi Soda	14/6-15/6
Amal. Cotton	24/6-5/6	Maypole Def	⅞-⅞
Borax Con. Dt.	1⅜-⅝	Man. S. Canal	5⅛-⅜+⅛
Bri. P'd. Cmt.	31/6-3/6	do. Pref	5⅛-⅜
B.S.A.	20/6-1/6	Mond Nickel	2⅛-⅛
B.Mot.Tr'd'g	1⅛-⅜-⅛	Montr'al St. Db	90-4
B.&A. Meat	21/0-2/0	Monterey Db	32-35
Bass, Rat. Pf	62-5	Mex. Trams	18-23
Brit. Oil & Ck.	2-⅛-⅛	do. Bonds	43-47
Brunner Mond	1½-⅝	do. L.&P. Bs	56-60
B'tholomay Pf	3⅜-⅝	N'w Tam'gal	29/0-31/
B.N.B. Lnd.	15/0-16/3-/4½	Pahang (5s)	⅛-⅝
Brazil'n Tract.	46⅜-7⅜	Parent Tyre Df	2⅛-3-⅛
Brit. Col-Elec. Pf.	30-5	Pease Partns	1⅛-⅛
do. 4½% Dbs	52-5xd	P. & O. Def.	410-430+5
Bryant & May	27/0-8/0+0/6	Projectiles (1/)	⅛-⅛
Bleachers	1⅜-⅝	Pekin Syn	17/0-18/0-0/6
Bradford Dyers	2⅛-⅝	Pan de Azucar	15½-16½-½
Brit. Cottons	7/0-7/3	Peters (G.D.)	1-⅛
Calico Printers	1⅛-⅜-1-16	Royal Mail Or	105-15
Cammell L'd.	17/0-19/0	Rio Lands	7/6-8/6
Cargo Fleet	19/0-21/0	Ronco	2⅛-⅛
Coats	2⅝-⅞xd-⅛	Rosario Nit	3-⅛
Courtaulds	6⅛-⅜-⅛	Sew. Cotton	1⅛-⅛
Court Line	1⅛-⅜	Salt Union	1⅛-⅛
Cunard Ord.	24/0-5/0	do. Pref	1-⅛
Duff Dev.	13/3-14/3-0/3	S. Durham St'l	3-⅛+⅛
Dunlop Rub.	1⅝-⅜exall-⅛	Sao Paulo Db	90-3
Eastmans	23/6-4/6	Sth. Af. Brew	1⅛-⅛
Furness Withy	29/6-30/6-0/6	Shaw W'ter Db	95-8
Forestal	35/9-6/9+0/3	Santa Catalina	1⅛-2
F'st's. Glass. Pf.	⅞-1	Sun Fuel	18/9-20/0-/1½
Fine Spinners	2⅛-⅜-⅛	Tarapaca Nit	22/0-4/0-1/0
Guinness	305-25	Tm. Fireproof	6⅛-7⅛
do. Pref	89-94xd	Un. Stm. N.Z.	19/0-20/
Gramophone	1⅛-⅜	Vickers	22/0-23/0-0 6
Harrod's	2⅝-⅞xd	Van Den Berghs	2⅝-⅞
Home & Col. Pf	3⅛-⅜	Do. Pref	6/9-7/9
do. 15% Cm. Or.	1⅛-⅜	Weard'lec.p.o.	20/6-2/0
Hudson's Bay	6⅛-⅜-⅛	Wallpaper Df.	15/0-16/-/4½

MINING SHARES.

Anglo-French Explor.	1+⅛	Lonely Reef	2⅛-⅛
Abosso	11/-+6d	Lake View	16/3-3d
Bawdwin	3⅝+⅛	Modderfontein	3⅛+⅛
Bk. H. Prop.	61/3-3/9	Mount Lyell	22/6-3d
Bk. H. South	2⅛-⅛	Nth. Anantapur	4/6+3d
Bk. H. Blk. 10	2⅛-⅛	Nyassa Consol	3
Burma Corp.	14/-6d	Oriental Cons.	⅛+⅛
Camp Bird	14/9+3d	Randfontein Central	13/6+3d
Colombian Min.	1⅛-⅛	Do. Estates	17/6+3d
City & Sub.	7/-6d	Rhod. Bk. H.	10/9-3d
Crown Mines	2⅞+⅛	Renong Tin	2⅛+⅛
Chartered	15/7½-1½d	S.A. Diamond	1⅛-⅛
Con. Min. Sel.	21/6-6d	Sons of Gwalia	6/3+3d
De Beers Def.	17⅛-⅛	Trans. & Delagoa Bay	3⅛+⅛
Do. Pref	11-½	Trans. Est. & Dev.	8/3-3d
El Oro	14/6+1/-	Van Ryn Deep	3⅛+⅛
Esperanza	18/9+9d	W. African Mahog.	⅛-⅛
Exploration	12/-6d	Waihi	1⅛ x.d.
Government Areas	4⅛	White Hope	1+⅛
Heriot (New)	6/-+6d		
Ldn.-Rhod. Min.	3/3-3d		

RUBBER SHARES.

Allagar	2/-2d	Langen Java	36/3-1/3
Anglo-Dutch	43/9-1/3	Linggi	52/6-1/3
Anglo-Malay	35/-1/3	Malacca	67/6-7/6
Bah Lias	36/9-9d	Do. Pref	60/-17/6
Bukit Mert	4/3-3d	Do. Deb.	92½
Bukit Semb.	2/11½-½d	Malayalam	31/3-1/-
Castlefield	6/4½+3d	Pegoh	60/7½-1/3
Chersonese	3/6-½d	Sablas	26/6-6d
Eastern Sumatra	2/3-1d	Seafield	27/3+3d
Gen. Ceylon Rubber	22/6-5/-	Sengat	2/9+1½d
Golden Hope	37/9-2/9	Seramban	24/1½-1½d
Hayoep	19/-6d	Sing. United	2/1½-1d
Highlands	53/3-6d	Socimber Ajoe	2/1½+½d
Java Para	37/6+1/3	Sumatra Para	5/3-3d
Kamuning	3/-2d	Sungei Bunya	31/3 x.r.
Kepitigalla	13/-1/2½	Tamiang	42/6-7½d
Kepong	9/5¼+¼d	Telogoredjo	50/3+3d
Labu	45/7½-10½d	Vallambrosa	19/7½-4½d
		Yam Seng	4/5¼

TEA SHARES.

Anglo-Ceylon, 59/6-6d.; East Produce, 32/--3½; Imperial Ord., 21/--1/-; Jokai, 13⅞-⅛.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—46¼, 6, 5¾, ⅞, 11-16. **3½ p.c. War Loan**—81, ⅛, ¼, ⅛. **Funding Loan**—67¼, ⅛, ⅜, 7, 7-16, 6¾, 7¼, ¼, ⅛. **Victory Bonds**—74⅞, 13-16, ¾, 5, 4 11-16, ¾, 9-16, 11-16. **4½ p.c. War Loan**—77¾, 8¼, 7⅞. **5 p.c. War Loan**—84½, ⅜, 7-16, ¼, 11-16, 13-16. **4 p.c. War Loan** (x.d.)—94⅞, ¾. **Aerated Bread**—36/3, 5/7½. **Amalgamated Cotton**—25/-, 4/7½, 4/-, 6d., 5/-, 4/7½. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—44/6, 3d., 4/-, 3/10½, 9d. **Anglo-Egyptian Oil**—60/-, 57/6, 9/9, 8½d. **Anglo-Java Rubber**—5/-, 4/11½, 5/1½, 5/-. **Armstrong** (x.d.)—25/1½, 3d., 6d., 5/-, 4/9, 10½d. **Assoc. Cement**—27/-, 6/10½, 3d., 9d., 10½d. **Barclay's Bank "A"**—*5⅞, 15-16, 13-16, ⅞, £5 18/3, 5 15-16. **Do. "B"**—41/7½, 9d., 10½d., 2/-, 1/7½, 6d. **Bleachers Ord.**—33/9. **Bradford Dyers**—44/4½, 3/9, 4/-. **Brazil Railway Common**—3 1-16, ⅛. **British Amer. Tobacco** (x.d.)—70/-, *68/-, 70/3, 69/8¼, 9d., 8/9. **British Burmah Oil**—*32/6. **British Dyestuffs Pref.**—13/6¾, 9d. **Do. Pref. Ord.**—13/11½, 14/-. **British Glass Industries**—23/9, 4/3, 3/-, 1½d., 3d., 9d., 4/1½. **British Oil and Cake**—42/9, 3d., 1/7½, 6d., 1/-, 2/1½. **Broken Hill Prop.**—62/6, 2/6, 60/-, 7½d. **Brunner Mond**—*31/3, 2/3, 1/6. **Buenos Ayres Western Ord.**—72½, ¾, 1½, 2½, ¾, ¼, ½. **Buenos Ayres Pacific**—57½, 8¼. **Burma Corp.**—14/1½, 13/10½. **Burmah Oil**—8⅜, 13-32, *7-16, 11-32, ⅜, ⅛. **Calico Printers**—*24/9, 5/3, 4/9, *3/-, 5/6. **Chinese Engineering and Mining**—6 5-32, 7-16, ⅛, 3-32, *7-16; **do. Debs.**—63½. **Canadian Pacific**—170¾, 70, ½, 1, 70½, *69¾, ¾, 70¼. **Cargo Fleet**—19/1½, 10½d. **Central Argentine Ord.**—64¼, 3¾, 4¼, ¾, ⅛, 4, ¾, ½. **Chartered**—15/6, 3d., 4½d., 7½d. **Coats** (x.d.)—53/1½. **Colombian Mining**—23/1½, 2/6, 3/9. **Commercial Bank of London**—17/9, 6d., 18/-, 17/3, 7½d., 17/-, 16/9, 17/3. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—22/-, 4½d., 1½d., 3d.; **do. Part. Pref.**—22/-. **Cory (Wm.)**—30/7½, 1/-. **County Bank**—13⅜, 7-16, ¼, £13 11/6, 13 11-16, 7-16. **Courtaulds**—*6 5-16, 7 1-16, 6 9-16, 15-16. **Crosses and Winkworth Pref.**—16/9. **Crown Mines**—51/3, 50/4½, 49/4½. **Cunard Ord.**—24/1½, 6d., 3d., 4/-, 3/9, 4/6. **Dunlop Ord.**—32/3, 2/-, 1/6, 1/-, 4½d., 3d., 2/3, 30/9, 10½d. **East Rand Prop.**—8/7½, 6d., 8½d., 3d., 1½d., 9/-. **English Oilfields**—34/4½, 5/3¾, 5/-, 4/9, *3/5½, 9d., 5/-, 7½d., 4/4½. **Explosives Trades Ord.**—17/11, 10½d., 6d. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—49/-, 50/6. **Great Western Railway**—*73⅛, ¾, 4⅛, ⅛. **Harper Bean Pref.**—7/9, 7½d., 3d., 6/9, 6/-, 8/-; **do. Ord.**—6/-, 3d., 5/-, 10½d., 4/6, 5/3. **Harrod's Ord.**—43/9, 5/7½, 9d., 4/4½. **Highlands Rubber**—55/-, 3/6, 3/-, 2/6. **Imperial Tobacco**—44/9, 50/-, 49/-, 50/4½, 6d., 50/-. **Johannesburg Consol.**—*28/-, 8/-, 3d. **Kern River Oil**—30/9, *30/-, 10½d., 9d. **Linggi Rubber**—53/-, 1/3, 2/6. **Lipton Ord.**—25/6, 5/-, *4/6. **Lloyd's Bank**—44/6, 4½d., 4/-, 10½d., 3d., 6d. **London, Brighton Def.**—43½, ¼, 3, ½. **London Joint City Bank**—6 1-16, ¼, 3-16, 7-16, ⅛. **London North-Western Railway**—76½, ¼, 7, *6½, ¾, ⅛, ½. **Magadi Soda Ord.**—14/10½, 9d., 6d. **Marconi Ord.**—55/-, 4/-, 9d., 3/1½, 5/-; **do. Marine**—29/6, 10½d., 9d.; **do. Canada**—10/7½, 9d., 4½d. **Maypole Def.**—11/9, 12/-, 11/7½, 10½d., 6d., 10½d. **Mexican Eagle Ord.**—11 27-64, 13-32, ⅜, 7-16, *⅜, 5-16, 11-32, *⅜, £11 8/3, *11 11-16, ⅛, 13-16. **Midland Railway Def.**—50 11-16, ½, ⅛, *¾, ¼, ⅛. **Modderfontein (New)**—74/4½, 5/-. **Mond Nickel**—49/6, 50/-. **National Prov. Bank (£23½)**—6 3-16, £6 18/3; **do. (£4)**—8 5-16, 11-32, 5-16, 7-16, 13-16. **Northern Exploration**—15/1½, 16/10½, 14/4½, 13/9, 15/-, 16/3. **Pahang Consol.**—11/-, 1½d. **Parent Def.**—56/9, 7/-, 8/9. **Prov. Cinematograph Pref. Ord.**—19/4½, 6d., 1½d. **Pyrotan Leather**—5/9, 4½d., 6d. **Rand Mines**—54/4½, 5/7½. **Randfontein Central**—13/6, *12/9. **Rumanian Oil**—21/-, 1½d. **Rubber Trust**—25/-, 3d. (x.r.). **Savoy Hotel Ord.**—14/3, 14/-, 6d. **Scottish-American Oil**—28/-, 7/10½, 8/3, 1½d., 4½d. **Shell**—7 13-16, ⅞, 11-16, 7-16, ¾, £7 10/3, 7 11-16, 11-16, ¾. **Smithfield and Argentine**—13/3, 6d. **Tanganyika**—36/6, 7/-. **Tankers Pref.**—18/9, 3d., 4½d., 6d., 7½d., 3d. **Trinidad Leaseholds**—69/7½, *70/-, 68/9, 70/7½, 3½d. **Trinidad Central Oil**—97/6, 100/-, 99/4½. **Underground Elec.**—43/9, 5/6. **United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—23/4½, 3d., 3/-, 1½d. **Vickers**—22/9, 6d., 3/-, 2/8¼, 6d. **Wall Paper Def.**—15/-, 10½d., 9d. **Wolsey Ord.**—26/3, 6d. **Workman Clark Debs.**—85½.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BELFAST.—Business Done:—War Loan 5 p.c., 84⅝; Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c., 1940, 58; Dunville and Co., 11½; Dunlop Rubber Co. (ex rights), 31s. 9d., 31s. 6d.; do. Rights, 1d. prem.; Lever Bros. 7 p.c., 18s. 7½d.; White, Tomkins, and Courage Ord., 20s. 3d.; Mexican Eagles, 11⅛.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motor Shares still dragging, Belsize, Darracqs, Sunbeams, and Rovers all weakened. Enfields and Triumphs strong. Dunlop Rubbers quiet and easier. Austins, 6/-; Belsize, 21/6; Components, 14/-; Darracqs, 20/6; Enfields, 29/6; Humbers, 17/3; Napiers, 12/6; Rolls, 27/-; Rovers, 20/7½; Singers, 25/6; Sunbeams, 20/-; Swifts, 30/-; Triumphs, 46/-; Vauxhalls, 15/-; Dunlops, 31/6; Parent Def., 58/-; Dunlop Pools, 22/-; Standards, 18/-.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles barely steady. Bleachers 33/-33/3; do. Pref., 16/-16/3; Calicos, 25/9-26/-; do. Pref., 13/9-14/-; Bradford Dyers, 43/6-44/6; do. Pref., 15/9-16/-; Sewing Cotton, 38/3-38/9; do. Pref., 15/6-16/-; Fine Spinners, 49/-50/-; do. Pref., 15/3-15/6; "Slubbers," 7/-7/3; Coats, 52/-53/-; Velvets, 29/-30/-.

INSURANCE SHARES.

SALES IN LONDON.—Alliance New, 10⅞, 11, 10⅞, 11; Atlas, 14 7-16, ⅛, ¾; City of London, 3/9, 4/3, 4/6; Commercial Union, 26½, ¾; Consolidated, 67/10½; Eagle, 14¼, ⅜, ⅜, ½; General Accident, 69/4½, 8/9, 70/-, 7½d.; Greater Brit., 3/4½, 6d., 5/-; Liverpool and London, 73, 2¾, 3; London, 7¾, ⅞; North British Pref., 64¼, 4, ½; Phœnix, 9, 8¾, 15-16, 31-32; Royal Exchange, 389, 3, 8, 5, 90, 87½, 8, 90; Royal, 17¼, £17 14/-, 17¼, 7-16; Sea, 85, 1/10½; United Brit., 57/6, 6/3, 6d.; World Aux., 16/-.

SALES IN LIVERPOOL.—Atlas, 14 13-16; Commercial Union, 26½; Eagle Star and British Dominion, 285/9; General Accident, 3⅜, 7-16; Guardian, 105/6; London and Lancashire, 10¾; Northern, 14⅛, ¼; Phœnix, 8 15-16, 9 1-16, 9; ditto Norwich, 9 1-16; Royal, 17⅜, ½; ditto 4 p.c. Deb., 72½; Sea, 4, 4 1-16.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ALLIANCE AND DUBLIN CONSUMERS' GAS COMPANY.—The report of the directors for the half-year ended 30th June, states that the accounts submitted show a profit on the revenue account of £35,051 18/4, and after providing for interest on Debenture stock and temporary loans there remains a sum of £26,428 10/1, to which must be added the sum of £13,903 14/4, the balance brought forward from last account, and a credit from income tax amounting to £3,139 2/10, making a total of £43,471 7/3. The directors (subject to the approval of the Board of Trade) recommend the maximum dividend authorised by the Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas (Temporary Increase of Charges) Order, 1919, on the Consolidated Ordinary Stock of the Company, at the rate of £3 6/3 per cent. per annum, less income tax. This will absorb a sum of £25,702 16/3, after which a balance of £17,768 11/- will remain to be carried to the next account. The directors regret having to record the death since the last half-yearly meeting of two of their esteemed colleagues, Mr. John E. Fottrell and Mr. John L. Scallan. The vacancies have been filled by the appointment of Mr. Jeremiah MacVeagh, M.P., and the Right Hon. Laurence Ambrose Waldron, P.C.

PARTINGTON STEEL AND IRON.—Dividend of 10 per cent. on Ord. Shares.

SONS OF GWALIA.—Interim dividend at the rate of 1/- per share, less tax.

ATLAS ASSURANCE.—Interim dividend of 5/- per share, free of tax.

MONTE VIDEO WATERWORKS.—Interim dividend of 3 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary.

C. DAVIDSON AND SONS.—Dividend of 10 per cent., making 15 per cent. for year.

INTERNATIONAL LIGHT AND POWER.—Dividend of 1½ per cent., less British income tax, on Pref. Shares for the quarter.

RIO DE JANEIRO CITY IMPROVEMENTS.—Interim dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, less tax.

PADANG JAVA RUBBER ESTATE.—Further dividend of 10 per cent., making 20 per cent. for the year.

MIDLAND ELECTRIC POWER DISTRIBUTION.—Interim dividend for the half-year at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum on the Ord. Shares.

CONSOLIDATED WATERWORKS COMPANY OF ROSARIO.—Interim dividend of 3 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary.

IVANHOE GOLD.—Second quarterly dividend (interim) in respect of the year 1920 of 1/6 per share.

"FINANCIAL TIMES."—Interim dividend on the Preference Shares at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

DOBSON AND BARLOW.—Profit, £91,252. Dividend made up to 15 per cent. for the year; to reserve £30,000, making £130,000.

IMPERIAL AND FOREIGN CORPORATION.—Balance dividend to be paid when the scheme of arrangement is carried into effect at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum on Pref. Shares, less tax.

D. H. EVANS AND CO.—Interim dividend for the half-year to 19th August of 3 per cent. on the Preference, and 5 per cent. on the Ordinary Shares, less tax.

ELTRINGHAMS, LTD.—Final dividends of 1-5th to Preference shareholders, being a dividend of 4½d. per share, and 4-5th's to Ordinary shareholders, being a dividend of 1s. 2 2-5d. per share, inclusive of tax.

INDO STEAM NAVIGATION.—Final dividends on the Pref. Ord. of 3 per cent. and on the Def. Ord. of £2 10/- per share. Also an interim dividend for the year 1920 on Pref. Ord. Shares of 3 per cent., all less tax.

UNITED INDIGO AND CHEMICAL.—5 per cent. per annum for the six months on Ordinary, a further dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, on Ordinary Shares, making 12½ per cent. for the year ended 30th June, also a further dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, on the Preference Shares, making 12½ per cent. for the year.

HARTLEPOOLS PAPER MILL.—Interim dividend at the rate of 12½ per cent., less tax, per annum, for the first six months of the company's working. It is proposed to capitalise the accretion of the company's capital by issuing one bonus share for every three shares held.

CORDOBA LIGHT, POWER, AND TRACTION.—Subject to satisfactory terms for renewal of promissory notes being arranged with the holders, the directors hope to be able to make an interim payment on account of the arrears of dividend on the 6 per cent. Cumulative Pref. Shares at an early date.

EASTERN INTERNATIONAL RUBBER AND PRODUCE TRUST.—It is proposed to offer in the near future a new issue of shares for subscription. The offer will be made, in the first instance, to the shareholders, and the number of shares offered will be one new share for each four shares held. Dividend of 3½ per cent. on the issued capital, free of tax.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The market in Dunlop Rights Shares has eased off until at the moment of writing it is almost impossible to get any kind of premium at all. At the outset the price rose to sixpence, and at this figure a good many speculative buyers came in who, regarding the shares as a fair option for a small amount of money for a short period of time, bought them up to this price. Shareholders, however, evidently consider that it is just as well to let the rights go, and there is a fair amount of stock on offer. The rights expire on Saturday, so not much time is left for holders to make up their minds as to whether they shall apply or not. From the point of view of those who want to exchange one for the other, the new shares are a shade cheaper than the old, although, allowing for the final dividend on the latter not yet declared, it may turn out that there is nothing much in it one way or the other.

Paris is a perpetual thorn in the flesh of the London share markets in Oil and Kaffirs. This is bound to be the case so long as the exchange between the two countries varies so erratically. When it pays them to do so the French people will come in buyers, and their appearance as such is liable to exercise a disproportionate effect upon prices, while, on the other hand, the selling by French holders invariably upsets the nerves of those who are speculating, and brings down prices again. The foreign market is also a theatre liable to the same conditions, and in the Kaffir market some men are saying that until Paris becomes more settled it is impossible to expect a good market in spite of the pirce to which gold has soared.

Cable advice has been received from the managing agents in Burma that an injunction has been obtained by the Burmah Oil Company, Limited, restraining Mr. S. C. Sampson from acting for the Indo-Burma Oilfields (1920), Limited. It may be said that Mr. S. C. Sampson has already purchased and superintended the despatch of most of the machinery, and in any event his agreement with the Burmah Oil Company, Limited, will expire on 28th February, 1921—or five months hence. It will be remembered that Mr. S. C. Sampson left the Burmah Oil Company, Limited, on his own account, and offered his services to Indo-Burma Oilfields (1920), Limited.

We are informed that the reports regarding the fire at Tampico are considerably exaggerated, and that an official statement has been issued in London stating that the latest advice, dated the 17th inst., showed that only three tanks were destroyed. Two others which caught fire are now extinguished, and there is no danger to the rest of the tank farm or refinery. A small reservoir of residual, which also caught fire, was soon extinguished, and, contrary to some of the reports, there have been no casualties whatever.

SALE OF 5,000 SHEEP.

Mr. Robert Craigie will hold his second autumn sale of 5,000 sheep in the Cattle Market, Dublin, on Friday next, 24th inst., commencing at 12 o'clock. The entries include an excellent show of Roscommon, Galway, Wicklow, Cheviot, and Blackfaced horny ewes, and a large number of store wethers and lambs, consigned by well-known Western flock-masters.

THE MONEY MARKET.

PRESSURE FOR LOANS.

Bank Rate (changed April 15th) .... 7 p.c.

There was some pressure for accommodation in the loan market yesterday. Call money held around 5½ p.c. practically throughout, and the same quotation was current for short fixtures. The discount market was quiet, and rates showed no important hardening tendency, despite some additional caution enjoined by coal events. The supply of paper was moderate. The Bank of England discounted a limited number of short bills at the official rate. November bills in the open market were posted at 6⅞ p.c., and fine three months' drafts were wanted around the same figure.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed April 15, 1920	7%		
60 days (fine)	6⅝%	Trade	7¼%
3 months	6⅝%	"	7⅜%
4 months	7%	"	7⅜%
6 months	7%	"	7⅜%
Loans to brokers day-to-day	5½%		
" " for a week	5¾%		
Deposit allowance: Banks, at call	5%		
Discount houses, at call	5%		
" " at notice	5¼%		

The price of spot silver rose ⅛d. to 59⅛d., and forward metal, at 60d., was ⅛d. higher per oz. There was some light general buying. Bar gold was unaltered at 117s. 6d. per oz.

The following foreign exchange rates were current:—New York, 3.50 to 3.51¼; Paris, 51.45 to 52.00; Amsterdam, 11.27 to 11.29; Italy, 80.50 to 81.00; Madrid, 23.82 to 23.90; Christiania 25.80 to 25.87; Stockholm, 17.33 to 17.37; Finland, 117 to 120; Brussels, 48.70 to 48.90; Berne, 21.70 to 21.73; Berlin, 219 to 223; Rio, holiday; Buenos Ayres, 57¼d. to 57⅜d.; Calcutta, 1s. 10½d.

MARKET REPORTS.

CATTLE.—BIRMINGHAM, Tuesday.—Rates rule steady for a fair supply, although Continental competition has a tendency to affect prices. Sizeable bacons, 40/-; small pigs, 38/- to 40/-; sows, 33/-, all per score dead weight.

SALFORD, Tuesday.—Fat cattle, chiefly Irish and Welsh, met a slow trade at less money, bullocks and heifers making 88/- to 95/-, and fat cows 74/- to 90/- per live cwt. Nearly 3,000 more sheep and lambs penned than last week, supplies coming from Ireland, Wales, and the North country. Trade unchanged, sheep realising 1/10 to 2/2, and lambs 2/4 to 2/6 per lb. Numbers in the market—Cattle 1,430, sheep and lambs 11,269.

DERBY, Tuesday.—Fair supplies of fat cattle, but quality not so good as last week. Best sorts maintained their price at 19½d. per lb., but others met a slow trade. Fat sheep were of good quality, the supply being about average. Trade dearer, prices ranging from 24d. to 26d., while lambs again made 29d. per lb. Calves maintained last week's prices of 14d. to 18d. per lb. A short supply of pigs, and trade still dear at 27/- to 29/- per 14lbs.

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, Tuesday.—Larger supplies of fat cattle; demand rather slower, but prices about maintained. Best quality bullocks and heifers making 23/-, and cows 18/- per 14lbs. Similar supply of fat sheep to last week, and trade fair, young sheep again realising 27d., ewes 23d., and lambs 30d. per lb. Pigs were a larger show, and met a slower trade at late rates, porkers selling at 30/-, bacons at 28/-, and sows at 25/- per stone of 14lbs. A firmer trade for veal calves, best quality again making 18d. per lb. Numbers in the market—Cattle 892, sheep and lambs 4,697, pigs 81, and calves 20.

LEEDS, Tuesday.—On offer 398 beasts. Choice heifers and bullocks 1/8, fat cows and bulls 1/5 to 1/6, good beef 1/7. Better trade. Sheep 782. Choice shearlings 2/- to 2/3, large fat sheep 1/10 to 2/.

GRAIN.—DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Tuesday.—The attendance on our market continues small; brewers and distillers are yet taking little interest in matters, and the business passing is consequently of small dimensions. Contrary to anticipations, there was rather a small show of samples. Wheat so far is of very disappointing quality, and very ordinary descriptions have sold around the maximum level of 53/4 per barrel, but it is certain that for real good sound wheat, up to 60/- and even more would be paid. Barley prices remain speculative; nobody seems to know exactly what is going to take place or on what level the season will open; the whole matter so far is guesswork. New oats are showing some variable quality, and prices generally a decided inclination to come back. New whites have been selling at 32/- to 33/6 and 34/- per barrel; blacks from 30/6 to 32/6 and 33/- per barrel; old whites for the moment show no quotable change from the figures recently recorded.

I. BUY OATS.—A. H. Smith, 10 Burgh quay, Dublin.—(Advt.)

NEW SACKS.—You are offered New Goods at the keenest prices consistent with quality. Write for quotations to-day.—J. W. and D. Martin, Ltd., 21 City quay, Dublin, and North st., Cork.—(Advt.)

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Tuesday.—WHEAT—Allocations of white Walla afloat at 96/-, and red ditto 95/- per 480lbs. MAIZE opened slow, but improved; cargoes of Plate afloat and leading sellers 72/9, early September 72/3, end October 72/-, October-November 71/6, Dan.-Gal.-Fox.-Bess. October 72/-; parcels of Plate September-October sold 68/3, October-November quoted 67/- per 480lbs. BARLEY quiet; cargo Dan.-Bess.-Kustendji October sellers 70/6 per 400lbs.; parcels of Californian afloat quoted 97/- to 100/-, September-October 92/- to 94/- per 448lbs.; No. 3 Canada Western October-November 70/3, No. 4 ditto 66/- per 400lbs. OATS steady, quiet; No. 2 Canada Western October-November 54/-, No. 3 ditto 53/9, No. 3 Ontario September-October 53/6, Plate f.a.q. afloat quoted 50/-, September-October 50/3, 42lbs. afloat 51/- per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—C.i.f. parcels of wheat were quiet, with business confined to No. 2 mixed winter afloat at 93/- per qr. to both Liverpool and Manchester. Maize—Parcels River Plate 1/- per qr. dearer, September-October shipment selling at 67/- to 68/- per qr., and afloat, per steamer Swinburne, 73/- per qr. WHEAT on the spot ruled steady, but quiet at late rates. MAIZE—Spot parcels River Plate still more or less nominal, with old crop held at 16/11 to 17/- and new 17/2 to 17/3 per cental. FLOUR was in less active request at the increased prices. BEANS, PEAS, and OATS quiet at about unchanged prices. BARLEY scarce and firmly held. OATMEAL in better demand at late rates. MILL OFFALS firm and fairly active. LINSEED and COTTON CAKES steadily held for late prices. Yellow River Plate maize futures opened 1d. per cental dearer and further improved, the market closing firm at 3d. per cental over last night. Sales—25 loads at 15/2½ to 15/4½ for October and 14/6 to 14/6½ December delivery. Closing values—September nominal, October 15/4½, December 14/6½ per cental.

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.—There was a fairly busy market, with a good demand. English wheat, 95/-; foreign, 105/-; maize, 75/-; new Scotch oats, 65/-; old Scotch oats, 73/- to 75/-; foreign oats, 63/-; beans, 95/- to 100/-; new English barley, 85/- to 90/-; grinding, 60/- to 75/- per quarter; flour, 63/6 per sack.

PROVISIONS.—DUBLIN POTATO, Tuesday.—The stoppage of North of Ireland potatoes coming into Dublin has left supplies unusually short, and prices, in consequence, have this week been advanced 20/- per ton for city trade; consumptive demand remains slack at 11/- to 12/- per cwt.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—BACON—There is a moderate arrival from Canada, but no fresh allotments have been made, and there is still a temporary scarcity owing to the delay in arrival of steamers consequent on the recent American strike. American Wiltshires in fresh condition meet a moderate inquiry, but low grades are quiet, and Cumberlands and bellies in limited supply and fair request, under-priced parcels again being taken for Ireland. Canadian Wiltshires fairly active and Danish readily absorbed, but although Irish is still scarce, buyers are reluctant to pay the high prices asked, and an easier tone prevails, especially on the heavy weights. HAMS in good demand when obtainable alone, but buyers less disposed to take bacon to secure the hams. Shoulders quiet, but fresh squares are in request. LARD on the spot fairly active on American refined, but prime steam is relatively scarce. CHEESE in fair demand for controlled at Government rates, but Cheshire quiet at 1/7½ to 1/8½ per lb., and free Canadian 160/- to 162/- for white and 164/- to 165/- per cwt. for Colonial. BUTTER scarce, and the limited offerings of Irish being readily accepted at extreme prices. EGGS in moderate demand at 38/- to 39/- for Irish and 38/6 to 39/- for Canadian, per 120.

HALSTON STREET POULTRY AND GAME, Tuesday.—The colder turn in the weather is calculated to sharpen the tone of our poultry, game, and wild fowl market; but owing to "no gun" order of things what is coming to hand of latter is "netted catches." Values in market all round denote a dearer trend. Michaelmas geese sales open on Friday next, and continue till following Tuesday. There is a strong and improved sale for fresh trapped rabbits. Prime turkey cocks, 16/- to 30/-; ditto, hens, 12/- to 18/- and 20/-; prime fat geese, 12/- to 16/-; stores, 7/- to 8/-; prime fat heavy ducks, 5/- to 6/-; medium breed, fat, 4/- to 4/5; old ducks, 1/6 to 3/- each; pullets, 6/- to 7/-; prime fat chickens, 5/- to 6/- each; others, 3/- to 4/6; prime fat hens, 5/- to 6/-; other sorts 2/6 to 3/6 and 4/- each; young pigeons, 1/6; wild, 6d. to 9d.; grouse, young, 4/-; old, 2/6; young partridge, 3/-; old, 1/6; hares, 2/6 to 3/-; rabbits, 1/8 to 1/10; wild duck, 2/6 to 3/- each.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE, Tuesday.—Fruit, both home grown and imported, remain much as before in price and other material respects. Vegetables in big supply, with values slumpy and irregular. Many commodities proved much beyond a possible clearance. Leading sales averaged—Choice black grapes, 2/6 to 5/-; others, 10d. to 1/3 and 1/6 per lb.; Irish melons, 3/- to 5/- each; muscat grapes, 2/6 per lb.; damsons, 24/- to 28/-, and 30/- per half bushel, 16/- to 18/- per strike, and 20/- to 21/- per kish; golden gages, 30/- to 32/-; apples, 50/- to 60/- and 65/- per barrel, 5/- to 7/6, and 10/- per tray, and 3/3 to 9/- per box; pears, 20/- per half bushel; selected, 7d. to 1/- and 1/1 each; rhubarb, 2/- to 4/- per doz.; cucumbers, 2/- to 8/-; vegetable marrows, 4/- to 12/- per doz., and for some special large, 2/6 to 3/9 each; tomatoes, 8d. to 11½d. and 1/- per lb.; cauliflowers, 1/8 to 2/6 per doz.; celery, 6d. to 1/4 and 3/- per bundle; kidney beans, 1/6 to 2/- per tray; parsnips, 2/- to 2/3 per doz., 7/- to 8/- and 9/- per cwt.; swede turnips, 5/- to 6/4 per cwt.; spinach, 2d. to 4d. per tray; York cabbage, 15/- to 20/-, 25/-, 35/-, 42/-, and 50/- per load; parsley, 6d. to 8d. per tray; carrots, 1/6 to 2/- per doz. bundles; lettuce, 3d. to 4d. per doz.; white turnips, 2d. to 4d. per bundle; scallions, 6d. to 9d. ditto; beet, 3d. to 4d. per doz.; thyme, 3d. to 6d. per bunch; sprouts, 2/6; new Dutch onions, 14/- and 15/-, old 7/- and 8/- per bag.

DUBLIN FISH, Tuesday.—Fair all round fish supply on market, including 465 boxes from two steamers, 25 chests lobsters, 150 boxes herrings, and 70 of mackerel. Good sale for fresh fish. Best lobsters, 17/6 to 25/- per 13; seconds, 10/- to 15/-; small, etc., 5/- to 7/6 per lot; turbot, 2/6 to 12/6; brill, 1/6 to 6/- and 8/-; best soles, 45/- to 52/6 per 9 pairs; mediums, 20/- to 30/-; slips, 10/- to 15/- per 9 pairs; large plaice, 6/- to 8/- per 4; others, 4/- to 7/6 per 8; half-boxes of plaice, 100/- to 180/-; haddock, 45/- to 60/-; codfish, 40/- to 60/-; pollock, 22/- to 35/-; ling, 20/- to 30/-; white soles, 30/- to 50/-; conger eels, 17/6 to 25/-; whiting, 10/- to 15/- and 23/-; ray, 20/- to 25/-; gurnards, 4/- to 5/-; herrings, 10/- to 25/- per box; mackerel around 7/6 ditto.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Tuesday.—Supply fair; demand steady. Soles, 16d. to 22d.; slips, 17d. to 22d. per lb.; dories, 3/- to 4/-; turbot, 11/- to 13/-; brill, 11/- to 12/-; plaice, 10/- to 14/-; halibut, 14/- to 17/-; lemon soles, 15/-; whitches, 9/- to 10/-; cod 5/- to 7/-; hake, 9/- to 11/-; whiting, 2/- to 5/-; skate, 8/- to 9/-; haddock, 6/- to 8/- per stone.

LONDON BORO' AND SPITALFIELDS POTATO, Tuesday.—Trade very slow, supplies being in excess of requirements. Quotations:—Lincoln King Edwards, 9/6 to 11/-; British Queens, 9/- to 10/-; Kent and Essex King Edwards, 9/6 to 10/-; Eclipse, 8/- to 9/-, and Blacklands, 7/- to 7/6 per cwt.

MANCHESTER, Tuesday.—BACON—Steady demand American best cuts; Irish scarce and wanted at 280/- per cwt. ex factory. HAMS unchanged. LARD steady; American refined scarce. CHEESE—Lancashires quoted 1/10 and 1/11, Cheshire 1/8 and 1/8½. EGGS—42/6, Canadian fresh 39/6 to 40/-. BUTTER—A firm tone prevailed for this article owing to the extreme scarcity; Irish creameries were quoted at 470/-; a rise of 4d. per lb. is expected in the Danish quotation.

BUTTER AND EGGS.—LITTLE GREEN, Tuesday.—It is still difficult to get creamery produce in quantity, but trade requirements this week are fairly covered, and with the percentage of export reduced from 30 per cent. to 15 per cent., possibly much more butter will come on market; it is evident also that creamery manufacturers are not so extreme in their pretensions regarding price. These are the only features coming to the surface so far. Wholesalers' prices to-day are around 3/1½ per lb. for creams, and 3/2 in some instances. Farmers' butter slightly increased, but trade is not very keen; sound firkins make from 2/7 to 2/8½ and 2/9 per lb., and cools 2/9½ to 2/10½; hand separators, 2/10 to 2/10½ and 2/11 per lb., according to character. Low or coarse grade farmers' butter is still selling around 2/4 to 2/6½ per lb. With regard to eggs, there is a good consumptive inquiry at present currencies for strictly fresh produce, but stored and over-held eggs are difficult to cash, and the situation with regard to these latter seems to be getting worse; by and bye possibly nobody will accept deliveries from the country except under strict guarantee, so that country dealers are bringing all the trouble on themselves by their disreputable mode of business. The repacking and picking at this end of ordinary arrivals entails a considerable outlay on the part of wholesalers. For choice fresh selected eggs prices are up to 42/- and 43/- per 120; guaranteed sound case arrivals 38/- to 41/-; other descriptions anywhere from 32/6 to 36/6 per 120.

CORK BUTTER, Tuesday.—Firsts, 320/-; fresh butter, 341/- per cwt.

PRODUCE.—LONDON, Tuesday.—SUGAR remained unaltered, with a generally quiet demand for free parcels. TEA—21,000 packages Ceylon in auction experienced a steady demand, and prices ruled firm to occasionally rather dearer for the better grades. COFFEE—Spot market quiet, but prices steady for desirable home trade qualities; futures steady, quiet. COCOA—No public sales held, and private market dull. SPICE—Pepper dull. JUTE—Market very firm, with holders reserved. Hessians and twills firmly held. HEMP quiet; New Zealand dull, unaltered; Italian idle. RUBBER easier; plantation standard crepe spot sold 1/5¼, September 1/5¼, October 1/5, October-December 1/5½ to 1/5⅝, January-March 1/6 to 1/7½, January-June 1/8¾, smoked ribbed sheet spot sold 1/4½, September 1/4½ to 1/4¾, October 1/4¾, October-December 1/5 to 1/4¾, January-March 1/6¼, fine hard Para spot 1/7¼ per lb. OILS—Linseed firmer; spot net naked 82/6, September-December 80/3, January-April 79/-. Rape—Crude spot 75/-, refined 83/-. Cotton—Crude spot Egyptian 73/-, Bombay 63/-, deodorised in barrels 94/-. Soya—Afloat cases 73/-, October-December 72/6, deodorised barrels 90/- ex mills. Turpentine generally steady; American spot 145/6, September-December 148/-, January-April 153/- per cwt. Petroleum—American spot 2/4½, water white 2/5½ per gallon. OILSEEDS—Linseed active and dearer; London Calcutta September-October sold £41 10/-, Plate August-September £37 15/-, September-October £37, October-November £37 to £37 10/-, November-December £37, January-February £36 to £36 5/-, February-March £36. Rapeseed quieter; Toria September-October Hull buyers £36, real bold Ferozepore ditto £35. Cottonseed quiet; Egyptian new crop September-October nominally £20 10/-, Bombay September-October quoted £14 10/- per ton.

LIVERPOOL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE, Tuesday.—A brisk demand ruled for farm produce at to-day's market, with fair quantities available. Prices remained practically unchanged from last week. Potatoes—Allies, 10/- to 11/-, Maincrop 14/-, Great Scot 10/- to 11/, King Edwards 13/6. Cucumbers 6/- to 8/-, cabbages 3/6 to 5/6, cauliflowers 5/- to 6/-, celery 5/- to 5/-, lettuce 2/- to 2/6 per dozen; carrots 6/- to 7/-, Swede turnips 6/6 to 8/6, peas 10/- to 12/-, kidney beans 3/6, scarlet runners 3/6, baled oat straw 7/3.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Tuesday.—Official Report—Market opens steady.

MISCELLANEOUS.—LIVERPOOL COTTON (Opening), Tuesday.—Market opened 21 points up—September, 19.49d.; October, 19.30d.; November, 18.94d.; December, 18.75d.; January, 18.40d.; February, 18.15d.; March, 17.92d.; April, 17.68d.; May, 17.44d.; June, 17.27d.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Tuesday.—American quotations advanced 26 points. Brazilian quotations advanced 20. East Indian unchanged. Egyptian quotations reduced 50 points. September 19.69d., October 19.45d., November 19.06d., December 18.88d., Jan. 18.53d., February 18.28d. Sales 3,000, imports 11,163 bales. Market steady.

HAY AND STRAW.—SMITHFIELD Tuesday.—The supplies of hay this morning were on the shorter side of recent markets, and the gathering comprised mostly soft and weather-tainted descriptions. Choice strong horse hay, being scarce, was quickly cashed at enhanced prices. In fact, values were on a more or less dearer basis, and less difficulty was experienced in making a clearance of all that came in at current terms. Choice strong horse hay, 9/- to 9/6, and extra shed quality 9/9 to 10/- per cwt.; medium sorts and strong hay, 7/9 to 8/9; best old meadow, 6/6 to 7/6; other sorts, 4/3 to 6/-; second cutting or clover hay, 4/- to 6/- and 7/- per cwt. Straw supply rather on the increase—Wheaten, 7/6 to 8/-; old oaten, 7/- to 7/6 per cwt.; new oaten, 5/6 to 6/6 and 7/- per cwt.

LONDON, Tuesday.—Supplies rather lighter, with a generally steady trade in force. Best medium hay, clovers, and mixtures quoted up to £14, while straw ranged from 100/- to 120/- per ton, delivered, according to sample.

TRADE REPORT.—MANCHESTER, Tuesday.—Cloth values are still on the easier side, though a widespread stoppage of looms checks this tendency to some extent. New business of any weight is scarce for both India and China, and minor outlets deal in sorting-up lots. Home demand continues to drag. American yarns without marked change in quotation, and moving in retail lines. Egyptians weak and neglected.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN again easier on free offers, cash being 45/- to 50/- and three months 30/- to 35/- lower since Monday's close. Cash quoted £272 15/- to £273, three months £278 to £278 5/-, settlement price £273. Sales 250 tons; cash £273 to £272 10/-, October dates £274 10/- to £275, three months £280 to £278. COPPER 20/- to 25/- lower, and more doing. Standard cash £97 to £97 5/-, three months £97 to £97 5/-, settlement price £97. 1,200 tons sold; early October £97 10/-, with cash and three months at £97 15/- to £97; electros £112 to £113, B.S. £107 to £108, strong sheets £168. LEAD quiet, and only 400 tons sold; September at £35 10/- to £35 5/-, October £35 7/6. SPELTER firmer. 500 tons sold; December at £41 5/- to £41 10/-, all per ton.

According to a telegram received by the Finnish Legation from Helsingfors, the Provisional Governments of East Karelia, Oronets and Ingermanland have made a request for the support of the Finnish Government in regard to a plebiscite for these territories, in view of the anxiety of the population concerning the remaining of the communes under Russian sway. Repola and Porajarir also wish to remain in union with Finland.

THE NATIONAL REVENUE.

During the past week over £30,000,000 was paid into the National Exchequer, while the expenditure amounted to less than £20,000,000. Over £13,000,000 was received from Excise and £6,000,000 from special receipts. It is only two weeks now to the half-year, and the receipts lack considerably over £100,000,000 to make up one-half of the estimates for the year.

RECEIPTS.

	Estimate for the year 1920-21.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from 1st April, 1920, to 18th Sept., 1920.
Customs	£150,000,000	£60,541,000
Excise	198,650,000	86,352,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	4,600,000	Nil.
Estate, etc., Duties	45,000,000	21,553,000
Stamps	25,200,000	12,047,000
Land Tax and House Duty	2,500,000	390,000
Property and Income Tax (including Super Tax)	385,800,000	119,278,000
Excess Profits Duties, etc.	220,000,000	101,696,000
Corporation Profits Tax	3,000,000	Nil.
Land Value Duties	500,000	20,000
Post Office	53,000,000	20,250,000
Crown Lands	650,000	240,000
Receipts from Sundry Loans, etc.—Ordinary Receipts	744,000	567,231
Special Receipts	8,736,000	5,418,753
Miscellaneous Ordinary Receipts	18,000,000	9,224,225
Special Receipts	302,000,000	133,854,234
Total	£1,418,300,000	£571,331,443

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimate for the year 1920-21, including supplementary grants.	Total issues out of the Exchequer to meet payments from 1st April 1920, to 18th Sept., 1920.
Permanent Charge of Debt	£24,500,000	£7,133,452
Interest, etc., on War Debt	320,500,000	152,194,807
Road Improvement Fund	5,650,000	1,504,116
Payments to Local Taxation Accounts, etc.	10,818,000	3,316,963
Land Settlement	12,000,000	3,315,207
Other Consolidated Fund Services	1,730,000	835,150
Supply Services	799,855,000	308,179,479
Total	£1,176,053,000	£476,479,174

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

NORTH DUBLIN SCHOOL ATTENDANCE COMMITTEE.—At yesterday's meeting of the School Attendance Committee for the North Dublin Rural District, Mr. E. McGough, J.P., was elected Chairman for the ensuing three years, and Rev. Mr. Byrn, Rector of Santry, Vice-Chairman.

COSTLY DUBLIN SHIPPING DISPUTE.—About £1,500 per day of a working week of six days is now set down as the loss entailed in traffic receipts, owing to the suspension of the cargo and live-stock steamers of the London and North-Western Company between the North Wall and Holyhead.

RAILWAY SHUNTER'S DEATH.—Dr. Louis A. Byrne, City Coroner, held an inquest yesterday at Steevens' Hospital, Dublin, on the body of James Doyle, 9 Brabazon square, who was killed during shunting operations at the Kingsbridge Station on Saturday. A verdict of accidental death was returned.

DUBLIN MANUFACTURES FOR THE UNITED STATES.—The Moore and MacCormack Line (United States Shipping Board) steamer Nyanza is loading at the North Wall Extension Jetty what is stated to be the largest cargo yet shipped from Dublin to New York direct. The cargo comprises something like 40,000 sacks, or 2,000 tons, of Guinness's dried grains, and about 1,000 cases of bottled whiskey from Messrs. E. and J. Burke, Ltd.

MOTOR FERRY BOATS FOR THE LIFFEY.—Since they were first projected, the new Liffey ferry boats have only been heard of at intervals. In the interval steamers of 6,000 tons register have been built and delivered to cross-Channel owners. The sooner the Liffey and its East End ferry service receive a couple of new motor boats on order the better for the port and the safety of hundreds of workers, who have to make the crossing of the river three and four times a day.

WANTON DAMAGE AT NORTH WALL.—In two cases last night wanton damage was done at the port of Dublin. The windows of the L.N.W.R. 40-ton hydraulic crane operator's cabin were smashed, and higher up the quays youngsters set fire to wood shavings used as packing material. The burning crates with their inflammable contents were quite close to the doors of the transit sheds, containing thousands of pounds worth of shipping goods. The company's night watchmen fortunately extinguished the flames.

SERVANT CHARGED WITH LARCENY.—In the Southern Police Court, Dublin, yesterday, before Mr. Swifte, K.C., Minnie Maguire, a domestic servant, was charged with having stolen wearing apparel, jewellery, etc., the property of Mr. Fitzsimons, 6 Moore street, by whom she was employed. The goods were stated to be of a total value of £172. Mary Bolton, no fixed abode, was charged with receiving some of the stolen property. Both prisoners pleaded guilty. Maguire was sentenced to six months, and Bolton to two months' imprisonment. The magistrate commended Detective Officer Healy for his efficiency.

LICENSED PREMISES BURNED.—The licensed premises of Mr. Peter Kelly, at the corner of Peter's street and Bishop street, were destroyed by fire in the early hours of yesterday morning. The Fire Brigade were called to the scene at 2 a.m., and by their work prevented the flames from extending to adjoining premises.

Insurance at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—J. R. Warner, Manager. Agents everywhere.—(Advt.)

The Minimax Hand Fire Extinguisher has extinguished over 49,961 actual fires since January, 1904. Refills free, inspections free. No cost for upkeep. Descriptive pamphlet free from Minimax, Ltd., Dublin.—(Advt.)

THE OLDEST BISHOP.

Bishop Stirling, Assistant Bishop of Bath and Wells, and Canon Residentiary of Wells Cathedral, is the oldest English bishop, having been born in 1829. He was Bishop of the Falkland Islands from 1869 to 1901. The dean of that diocese during a great portion of that time was Dean Brandon, an Irishman. Another Irishman, Bishop Ormsby, of Honduras, now Archdeacon of Lindisfarne, was seventy-seven this month.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

Prices Lower.

The eighth series of public sales of Government wools for the current year opened last evening with catalogues comprising 10,223 bales. There was a fair attendance of buyers, but competition was hesitating, particularly for medium and inferior merinos, while for coarse crossbreds there was practically no demand. A fair proportion was withdrawn. As compared with closing rates of last London series, merinos superior greasy are quoted 10 per cent. cheaper, ditto all other descriptions 15 per cent. cheaper, crossbreds fine greasy 5 per cent. cheaper, ditto medium 10 per cent. cheaper, ditto coarse neglected, ditto scoureds of all grades 10 to 15 per cent. cheaper. Sales close Friday, 8th prox., available quantity being about 133,000 bales.

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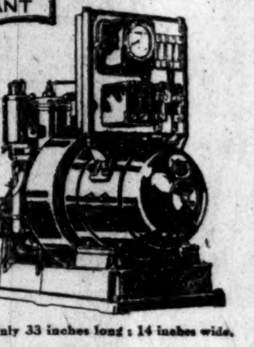

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TEXTILE INDUSTRY IN NORTHERN FRANCE.

REMARKABLE RECOVERY.

The latest figures regarding the textile industry in Northern France show, says a Paris telegram, that very considerable progress has been made, the output at the present time being roughly three-quarters of what it was before the war. In 1914 the linen industry employed 500,000 spindles, in the Lille, Armentières, Tourcoing, Amiens, and Frevent districts. The Nord linen industry had an output of 100 to 120 million francs' worth of linen thread, and the Lille industry produced annually 15 to 20 million francs' worth of sewing thread. Linen spun in the North was almost entirely woven in the same region. In 1912 there were 20,000 hand looms and 22,000 worked by machinery, and the Lille and Armentières districts produced 200 million francs' worth of linen a year. The hemp and jute industry was also important, while a factory in the Cambrai district manufactured annually 300,000 kilogrammes of material from camel hair. In all, the linen and hemp industry in the North resulted in a turnover of more than half a milliard francs a year.

In 1914 the cotton industry carried on in Lille, Roubaix, Tourcoing, and Saint Quentin, employed two million spindles, and the Nord region had an annual output of 200 million francs' worth of cotton.

THE WOOLLEN INDUSTRY.

It was the woollen industry, however, which was the most important of the Northern textile industries. Two million spindles were employed out of a total of three millions for all France, and the output amounted to 350 or 400 million francs' worth of goods. If to these figures are added 160 millions for the muslins of Calais and Cambrai, 35 millions for the embroideries of Saint Quentin, and 15 millions for upholsterers' materials manufactured in the Nord and the Somme regions, it will be seen that the annual production of the Northern textile industries reached, before the war, a total of more than 1,300,000,000 francs.

In 1918 virtually nothing was left. In the Lille-Roubaix-Tourcoing district it is true that many of the buildings had been spared, but the majority had been stripped of all machinery. Armentières, the headquarters of the linen industry, with its forty spinning and weaving factories and its 8,000 looms, had ceased to exist. At Saint Quentin, 7,325 embroidery looms had been destroyed with hammers. The production of woollen material was reduced by 81 per cent., and that of linen goods by 93 per cent., although cotton had only suffered to the extent of 29 per cent.

The position to-day is distinctly satisfactory. Of 471 factories employing more than twenty workers, of which a census has been taken, 386, or about 81 per cent., have resumed work altogether or in part. In the linen industry, which suffered particularly, 63 per cent. of the factories have reopened, and at present they employ 25 per cent. of their pre-war *personnel*. In 1914 these 471 establishments employed 145,431 persons, and 91,347 are now employed in their working, properly so-called.

It is hoped that next year, always provided that it is possible to obtain sufficient coal, the production of pre-war days will be equalled, if not surpassed.

MOVEMENTS IN THE CIVIL SERVICE.

The following appointments, promotions, and removals have been officially notified at the respective headquarters:—Mr. Patrick Aloysius Kennedy, second division clerk, has been assigned to the Local Government Board, Ireland; Mr. Robert William Jennett, second division clerk, Royal Irish Constabulary Office, has been transferred to the Ministry of Labour; Mr. James Patrick Owens Cusack, second division clerk, has been transferred from the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland to the Public Works Office, Ireland; Mr. Patrick O'Toole, second division clerk, has been promoted to a first-class clerkship in the Record Office, Ireland; Mr. Robert Abraham, assistant clerk (abstractor class), has been transferred from the Registrar-General's Office, Ireland, to the Air Ministry; Mr. Francis Augustus Drumm (from the Air Ministry) and Mr. Patrick Joseph Daly (from the Ministry of Health), assistant clerks of the abstractor class, have been transferred to the Local Government Board, Ireland; Mr. Patrick Delany, assistant clerk (abstractor class), has been transferred from the Air Ministry to the Registrar-General's Office, Ireland. In the department of the Chief Secretary for Ireland, Mr. John Dunwoodie Martin McCallum and Mr. Alan Cane Lendrum have been appointed Resident Magistrates in Ireland under Clause 7 of the Order in Council of January 10, 1910. In the Public Works Office of Ireland Mr. John Francis Shortall has been appointed assistant surveyor of buildings. In the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland, Mr. James Dowling has been appointed Registrar in connection with the Horse Breeding Act, 1918. Mr. Patrick Harding has been appointed a Governor (third class) in the Prison Service, Ireland. Mr. Edward O'Neill has been appointed a first-class clerk in the Public Record Office, Ireland. In the department of the National Health Insurance Commission, Dublin, Misses Mary Jane Flower and Stella Marguerite McWeeney have been appointed women clerks, and Misses Frances Margaret McDonnell, Margaret Sarah Vernon, and Grace Ellen Casey have been appointed female writing assistants. At the Dundrum Criminal Lunatic Asylum, Mr. John Joseph Duff has been appointed an attendant.

In the Post Office department, the postmastership of Galway is announced as vacant, the stated salary being £380 a year. Mr. R. Perdue, salaried sub-postmaster of Killucan sub-office, Mullingar, has been promoted to the postmastership of Roscommon. Messrs. Michael J. Madigan and Dominick C. Leo O'Neill (Dublin), Miss Harriette W. Clegg (Carrickmacross) and Miss Sarah J. W. Moodie (Limavady) have been appointed sorting clerks and telegraphists. The following have been appointed sorting clerks and telegraphists for service in Ireland, viz.—Messrs. Bernard A. O'Callaghan, Michael J. Greally, John Hughes, Thomas J. Kehoe, Thomas P. Ryan, Matthew Walsh, John Aiken, John Burke, Hugh Devers, Matthew Field, Thomas Finn, Patrick J. Mulvany, George W. Revill, James Running, Daniel Ryan, John Coleman, Daniel Darcy, Christopher T. Dowling, Hugh E. Fay, John F. Heery, James Keenan, Percival Lawton, John McKenna, William Mitchell, Michael Quinn, Jeremiah Reynolds, John Rooney, Martin Walker, James Young, James P. McLoughlin, Christopher C. McGreedy, James Cannon, John W. Cooper, John J. Moore, and James O'Carroll.

A RARE WAR STAMP.

ONLY THIRTY ISSUED.

Argentina has been indulging in one of her periodic postage-stamp commemorations, which recur about every five or six years, writes *The Times*. The national celebrity whose memory is honoured on this occasion is General Manuel Belgrano, one of the foremost leaders of the army of liberation from 1810-15, who died at Buenos Aires on June 20, 1820. Three special stamps issued by the Argentine Post Office in commemoration of the centenary of his death are to hand in pictorial designs, 2c., rose red; 5c., rose and blue; and 12c., pale green and blue. The stamps, which have been printed by the National Mint, are somewhat inferior lithographs. They are inscribed "Centenario de Belgrano, 1820-19-20," and were available for internal postage for a period of three days.

New postage-stamps have likewise been introduced in Brazil by an official decree of April 13, in designs typifying commerce and communication. These, too, are local productions, engraved and printed at the Casa da Moeda, Rio de Janeiro. An allegory of Industry, with a smith at work in the foreground beating swords into ploughshares, and factory chimneys belching smoke behind him, adorns the stamps of 25 reis, chocolate, and 50 reis, green. Aviation personified by a female figure, together with an aeroplane rising in the dawn, forms the subject of the design of the 100 reis, red, and 200 reis, blue. Commerce, Navigation, and Education are symbolised in other values.

The abolition of the supplementary war tax on correspondence, formerly in vogue in a number of British Colonies, has been followed by an all-round increase of regular postage rates from 1d. to 1½d. Stamps to meet this new rate are being supplied as quickly as possible by the Government printers to those Colonies which do not already possess 1½d. values in their current series. When the new rate came into force in the Union of South Africa recently, many people divided 1d. stamps in half, and affixed them, together with a whole stamp, to make up the postage. The practice was, of course, contrary to regulations, but, notwithstanding this, a considerable number of letters passed through the post franked with these bisected stamps.

Collectors of war stamps will be interested in the discovery of some rare and hitherto unrecorded provisional war stamps, issued in Mesopotamia shortly after the Armistice, which have only just come to light. They are manuscript provisionals created by the officer in charge of the Sanjac of Erbil in December, 1918, as a temporary measure, and not more than 30 were used before orders were received from headquarters at Mosul that letters were to be sent in future without stamps and postage collected on delivery. The stamps in question consist of the one piastre Turkish issue of 1917 (map of Dardanelles), with the superscription (a) "Iraq in British occupation" or (b) "Br. Occupation" in manuscript, together with the initials of the issuing officer, "M.R.H." Two specimens were recently unearthed by a collector in one of the bazaars at Baghdad, who obtained from the issuing officer a certificate of their authenticity. They must be regarded as some of the rarest examples of war stamps in existence. Manuscript provisionals are not, as a rule, regarded favourably by the majority of collectors, but fully authenticated specimens frequently command high prices from specialists.

A project is afoot for the holding of an International Postage Stamp Exhibition on an important scale in London in 1923. It will then be 11 years since the last public exhibition of this kind was seen in London, the jubilee of the stamp collector's cult having been celebrated by an International Stamp Exhibition at the Horticultural Hall in October, 1912.

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S RETURN.

The return of births and deaths made by the Irish Registrar-General for the week ended 11th September states that in the Dublin registration area the births registered during the week amounted to 231—108 boys and 123 girls—and the deaths to 123—63 males and 60 females. The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14.1 per 1,000 of the population. Included in the 112 deaths appertaining to the area are 17 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished). Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 9 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 6 from other forms of tuberculosis). Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, 9 by bronchitis, and one by encephalitis lethargica. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to venereal disease, one to simple meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 15 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to peritonitis, 2 to congenital malformations, 2 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility. Forty-four of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the area were those of children under 5 years of age, 38 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 22 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 13 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 112 deaths recorded, 42 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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GARRYMORE, NEAR RATHDRUM.—AREA, 92 S.A.

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SALES BY PRIVATE TREATY.

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SATURDAY, 25th SEPTEMBER, 1920,

At the hour of Twelve o'clock

SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Offices, Market street, Kells, of a compact Farm, with Dwellinghouse and Out-offices, for J. C. Darling, Esq.

Part of the Lands of Crossakiel, containing 53a. 1r. 14p., statute measure, held in Fee-simple, subject to an annuity of £17 14/6, payable to the Irish Land Commission.

There is a substantially-built Two-storeyed Slated Dwellinghouse, with Out-offices, on the Farm.

Crossakiel is situated five miles from Kells and three miles from Virginia road Station (G.N. Ry.).

SATURDAY, 9th OCTOBER, 1920,

At the hour of Twelve o'clock

(If not previously disposed of by Private Treaty),

BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

FARM at Potlereagh, Virginia road, Kells, for Dr. L. J. Nugent.

Part of the Lands of Potlereagh, Virginia road, containing 23a. 1r. 10p., or thereabouts, statute measure, held in Fee-simple, subject to an annuity of £24 11/6, payable to the Irish Land Commission. Poor Law Valuation, £46 10/-. There are two good Slated Cottages and suitable Out-offices on the Lands.

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COUNTY OF MEATH.

IMPORTANT LETTING OF

60 ACRES OF AFTERGRASS

AT LOYD, KELLS.

W. AND G. ARMSTRONG have received instructions from the Kells Urban District Council to

LET BY AUCTION, on the LANDS,

On MONDAY, 27th SEPTEMBER, 1920,

At the hour of Three o'clock,

60 Acres of Heavy Aftergrass in the following divisions:—

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The above Lands will be Let for the Grazing of Cattle and Sheep only to 15th January, 1921.

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The premises offered comprise two complete Distilleries, known as the Upper and Lower Distilleries, which are held for ever. Both Distilleries are at present in full working order, and can be carried on by a Purchaser without any interruption in the trading. The product of these Distilleries has a world-wide reputation, which has been firmly established by many years' trading. The Purchaser can, if he desires, also acquire a stock of matured whiskey.

The Upper Distillery, having been recently destroyed by fire, has been re-built and brought up-to-date in every way. Both Distilleries have very large Bonded Warehouses, capable of holding 750,000 gallons. There is an ample supply of water in connection therewith.

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The Distilleries are situate in Comber, within seven miles by rail and road from Belfast.

For full particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to the undersigned:

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All the Estate and Interest of the Representative Church Body in and to that part of the Lands of BALLINGARRY UPPER, containing, in all, 28 Acres, statute measure, or thereabouts, of Primest Pasture Lands, with attractive Residence and Out-offices thereon, held in fee-simple, subject to an annuity of £25 11/10, payable to the Irish Land Commission, and 10/6 per annum Tithe Rent Charge.

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The Lands are all in ancient pasture, except about two acres under Corn, which is in the highest state of cultivation. They are of a deep rich fertile soil, equally well adapted for Dairying, Feeding, and Tillage purposes, suitably divided into fields of convenient size, perfectly fenced and sheltered by fine whitethorn hedges and grass timber, which abounds on the property, which has an ample water supply.

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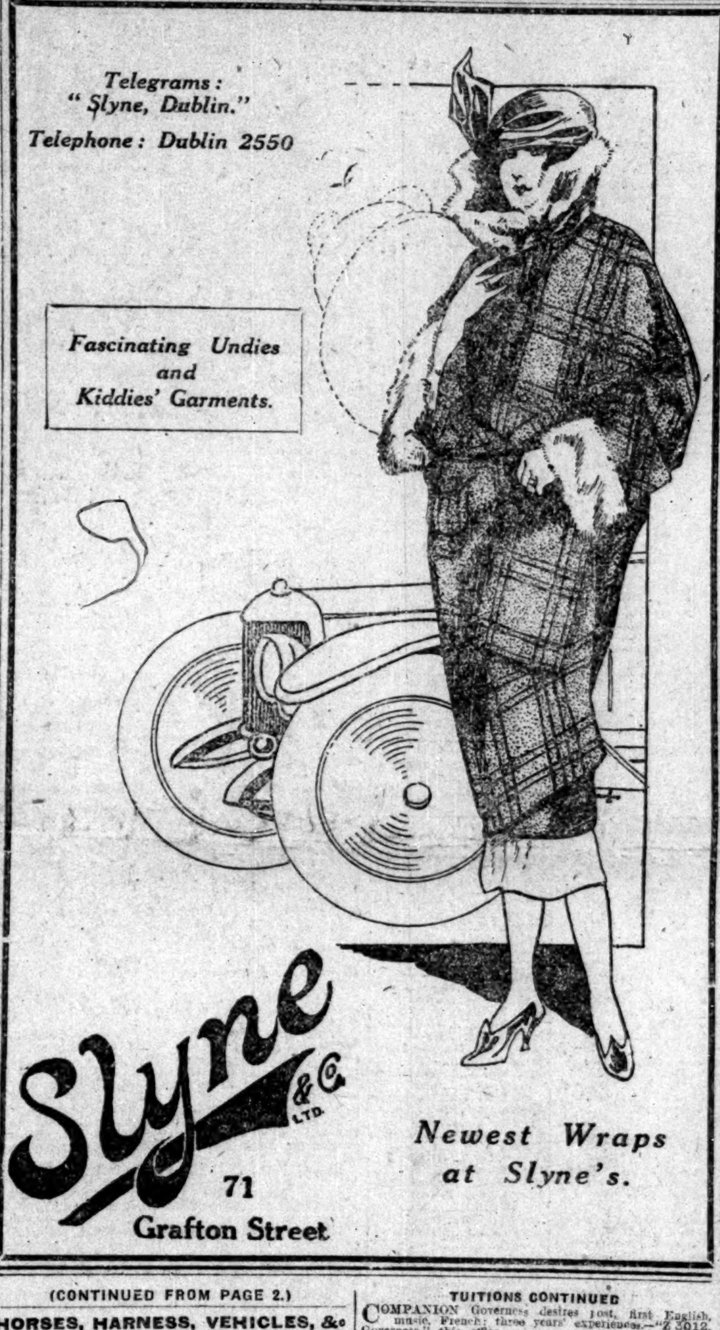
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